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## RIOTING BELFAST MOBS LOOT CITY AND BATTLE WITH POLICE

### JAPAN DENIES ALLEGED PLAN FOR ALLIANCE

Reported Pact With France Refuted.

RUMOUR IN LONDON.

Tokyo, To-day.

The Foreign Office categorically denies the report which appears in London newspapers to the effect that Japan has approached France with the suggestion of a mutual protection alliance. — Reuter.

The rumour of this step on the part of Japanese diplomats caused considerable agitation in Europe. It had been suggested previously that Japan had offered France her support in the League of Nations in the matter of Germany's demand for equality of armaments in return for French sympathy towards the Manchuria policy of the Tokyo Foreign Office.

A few days before this report became common knowledge, France had signified her intention of standing with the League of Nations and condemning any act of aggression in Manchuria. It was felt in some quarters that Japan's overture was to be expected, and in view of the European crisis over armaments, it was hinted in some quarters that France might accept the conditions. — Reuter.

### Stocks Rally In New York

Recovery Registered By Many Issues.

New York, To-day.

The Stock Market recovered sharply to-day, gains of from three to five points were common. The turn-over was 1,800,000.

Yesterday's break saw leading issues slumping heavily, but the reaction to-day re-established the majority on their former level.

### CREWS RETURN TO LINERS AS STRIKE ENDS

Seamen's Demands All Are Satisfied.

FOUR SHIPS DELAYED.

Marseilles, To-day.

The shipping strike which delayed four liners of the Messageries Maritimes, has been ended. The demands of the seamen have been met by the company.

The four liners involved, carrying many passengers, will sail to-morrow.

The liners abandoned in Marseilles were the Explorer, Granddier, Champollion and the Lamartine.

The Messageries Maritimes endeavoured to engage new crews under strong police protection, but settled rather than precipitate trouble.

A telegram on October 9 stated that many British, were among the passengers for the Near and Far East, held up through strike, which prevented through the Ministry of Transport.

### STREET GUN-FIGHTS CAUSE CASUALTIES

CROWDS CRY FOR BREAD AS FURY SPREADS

A NIGHT OF TERRORISM

BELFAST, TO-DAY.

FOLLOWING SEVERE RIOTS, A NIGHT OF PANIC AND ALARMS, DURING WHICH MOBS SET FIRES AND LOOTED SHOPS AND FOUGHT A SORT OF GUERRILLA WAR WITH POLICE, THE CITY IS UNDER THE IRON GRIP OF A SPECIALLY MOBILISED POLICE FORCE AND IS PATROLLED BY ARMoured CARS.

Three were killed and 25 wounded in a riot of unemployed last night, when a mob, having fired on police, was dispersed by a volley from the guns of the officers.

Over 2,000 police, assisted by armoured cars, patrolled the city throughout the night and a cordon of guards was thrown about the municipal limits prohibiting the entrance of any person during the hours of darkness.

A curfew order was passed and the streets must be cleared after 11 o'clock at night and until five in the morning. A Police Court was specially convened at midnight to remand 40 rioters in custody.

The precautions are being taken in consequence of the serious unemployment riots. There were numerous minor clashes between the jobless and police, and the culmination was the firing of shots by demonstrators, to which constables replied. The mob was scattered, but not without casualties.

Rapid Spread.

An orgy of rioting and looting lasted in Belfast the whole day long. The trouble originated at an unemployed men's demonstration, called out of dissatisfaction with the rates paid men employed on special relief schemes. The authorities replied by prohibiting demonstrations and mobilising hundreds of police, armed with batons and loaded revolvers. The demonstrators finding their intentions thwarted, responded by stoning the police, who were busy the whole day dispersing the prohibited gatherings.

Trouble spread rapidly and assumed the most threatening aspect in Balls Road, where police sniped at with revolvers, returned the fire. An onlooker was killed and several others were shot during the evening when shops were looted, windows shattered, trams and buses attacked, and drivers and conductors injured. Repeated police charges had only a temporary effect on the crowds, in which women were mingled.

There were many terrific onslaughts, in which stones, clubs and any sort of weapon, were used freely.

Mob Subdued.

Police, at one time during the rioting, appeared on the point of being overpowered, but assistance from armoured cars gradually forced the rioters up side streets and alleys, where a sort of guerilla warfare ensued, men and women shouting "We must have bread."

After nightfall the riotous started widespread looting and nearly every shop in the Shankill Road area was ransacked. Finally police regained the upper hand. Armoured cars cruised about, using their searchlights, as most of the street lamps had been smashed.

An epidemic of incendiarism started at 10.30 p.m. and all fire appliances were ordered out. The rioters with their torches and petrol bombs, set fire to a number of shops.

### FINANCIER SET FREE BY GREECE

Samuel Insull Can't Be Detained.

NO EXTRADITION TREATY.

Athens, To-day.

Samuel Insull, venerable and patriarchal wizard of the finance world, head of the gigantic and now supposedly bankrupt Insull enterprise, is again free of the law's clutches. Arrested here on advices from Washington, he was liberated within 24 hours, for authorities decided that there was no legal warrant for detaining him. The instruments for ratification of the Greco-American Extradition Treaty have not yet been exchanged.

Insull fled from Paris when word of the search by American authorities for him and his associates first reached him. He vanished over the Italian frontier, was traced to Rome, to Greece — and always he was a jump ahead of the snatching hand of the law. Finally he surrendered in Athens, and probably knew at the time that he would not be held.

Receiver Appointed.

New York, To-day.

A receiver for the Insull Utilities Investment incorporated, now bankrupt, published the names of seven syndicates, comprising 1,300 individuals and companies, who were given preferred opportunities for underwriting the various issues of Insull Middle West utilities and stocks amounting to \$200,000,000.

### MARSHAL'S MARINES TO LEAVE CHEFOO.

General Liu Defending Besieged Town.

Chefoo, To-day.

Arrangements have been made by which the troops of Ning Show-llen, a subordinate of General Han Fu-chu, will enter Chefoo on Friday, when Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang's marines will be withdrawn.

General Liu Chen-nien is still beleaguered in the town of Lachow. — Reuter.

### VALUABLE PLANES. LOST IN FIRE.

Ten Destroyed In Fairey Factory.

London, To-day.

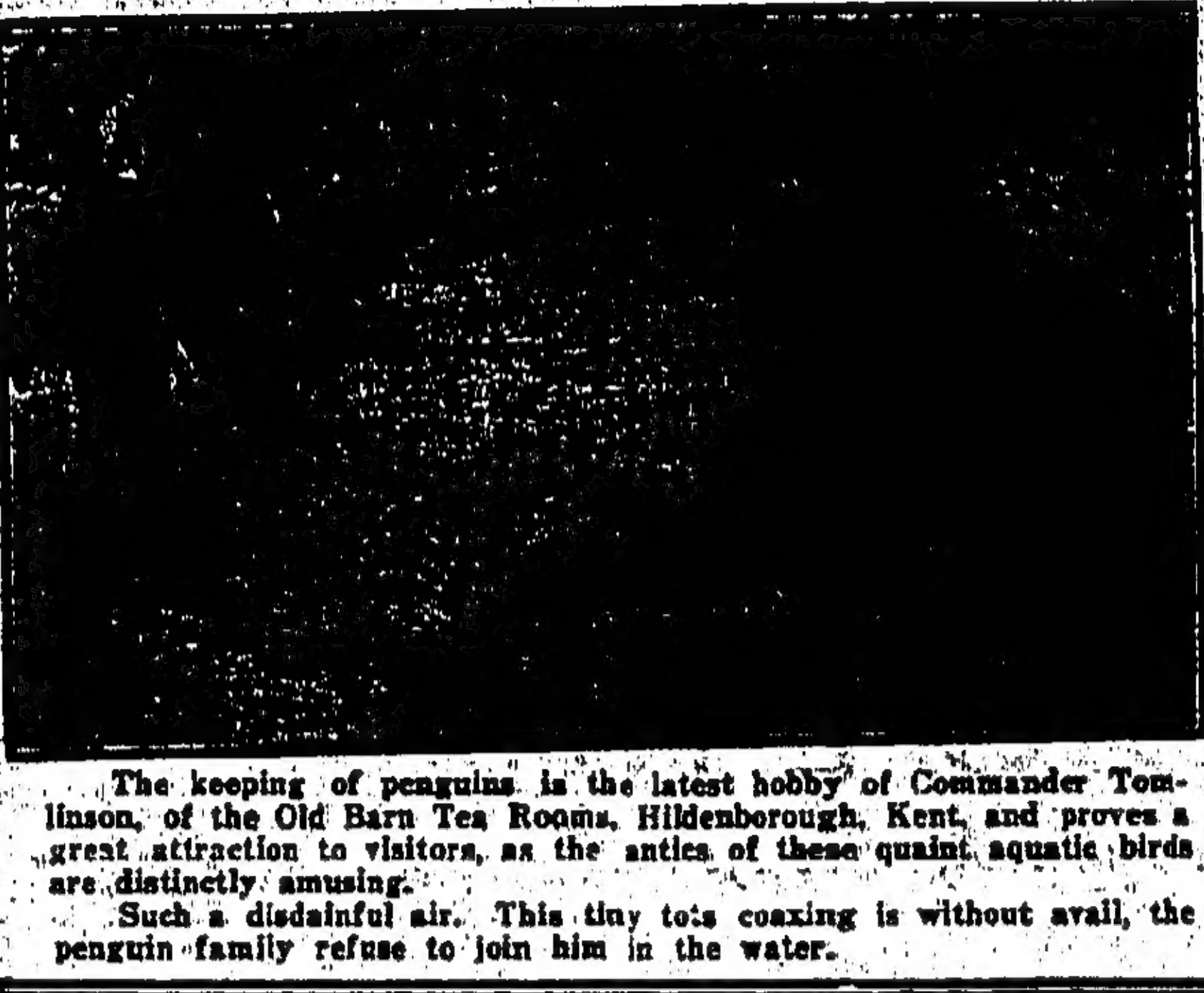
Over \$100,000 worth of the world's fastest service seaplanes were destroyed in a fire at the Fairey Aviation Company's factory near Southampton, which was practically gutted to-day. Only one of the ten machines in the hangars was saved. — Reuter.

### NEW FLAGSHIP FOR EAST INDIES.

Cruiser Hawkins Off To South Seas.

London, To-day.

The new flagship of the East India Station, the HMS Hawkins, a cruiser, is on her way to the South Seas.



The keeping of penguins is the latest hobby of Commander Tomlinson, of the Old Barn Tea Rooms, Hildenborough, Kent, and proves a great attraction to visitors, as the antics of these quaint aquatic birds are distinctly amusing.

### GOVERNMENT INTERVENES IN COTTON DISPUTES.

Invites Parties to Confer in Manchester.

London, To-day.

The Ministry of Labour has again intervened in the cotton industry dispute, and has invited representatives of the parties concerned to meet in Manchester to-morrow.

A representative of the Minister of Labour will preside and, it is believed, will offer some suggestions which it is hoped may lead to an understanding. — Reuter.

### EARL OF PLYMOUTH NAMED TO POST.

Succeeds Sir Robert Hamilton.

London, To-day.

The Secretary for the Colonies, Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, has appointed the Earl of Plymouth, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Colonies, to succeed Sir Robert Hamilton as Chairman of the Colonial Advisory Council of Agriculture and Animal Health.

Ivor Miles Windsor-Clive, is the second Earl of Plymouth and 15th Baron Windsor, and was born in 1899. From 1913 to 1919 he was member for West St. Pancras on the London County Council, and Conservative M.P. for the Ludlow Division of Shropshire from 1922 to 1923. In 1923 he was appointed Lord-Lieutenant of Glamorgan and was Captain of the Gentlemen at Arms from 1925 to 1929. From January to June, 1929, he was Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Dominion Affairs.

### 19th Route Army Heroes Confounded By Shanghai Traffic

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, To-day.

A singular incident occurred in Nanking Road to-day when 200 unknown men of the Nineteenth Route Army contingent were seen roaming the streets in dumb bewilderment, blocking the traffic until they came to the dead end at the corner of Hanking Road in the heart of the Central District.

The police provided an escort, averting another incident as the sergeant (accused) remarked.

The soldiers, it appears, know their way to the battlefields where they have fought, but are completely lost in the maze of the city.

### ROYALIST COUP FEARED IN GERMANY

Government Declared Behind Movement.

GREAT ARMY PREPARED.

Berlin, To-day.

The extraordinary story of a Government plot to restore the monarchy in Germany, is related in to-day's issue of the Berlin newspaper "Vorwaerts," which declares that it can prove that Crown Prince William had told his friends that he and President von Hindenburg, Chancellor von Papen and the veteran General von Schleicher were united in a policy of Royalist re-establishment.

This sensational and highly colourful story is fearfully related and is scornful of contradiction. It follows, too, upon the heels of other tales of Royalist endeavour, and bears out the theory that the Hohenzollerns have not abandoned hope of succeeding once again to the Imperial throne.

President von Hindenburg, declares the "Vorwaerts," intends to resign, at a suitable moment and nominate the former Crown Prince William as Regent of Germany. The Prince would be backed by an army of Bavarians and 500,000 armed Steelhelmets, the paper adds.

The originators of the Royalist plot are determined to fight if necessary.

### REPUBLICAN PARTY HEARS COOLIDGE

Rebuts Argument For Reduced Tariff.

MR. BORAH ON DEBTS.

New York, To-day.

At a Republican Party rally held in the Madison Square Gardens to-day Mr. Calvin Coolidge, supported by President Hoover, rebuted the argument that a reduction in tariffs would increase American foreign trade.

He asserted that the United States tariff trade regulations were much more favourable to the rest of the world than other countries' tariffs were to America.

### TWO PRINCES LEAVE SWEDISH HOSTS.

Fly To Hamburg On Way Home.

London, To-day.

The Prince of Wales and Prince George yesterday ended their short visit to Sweden, which they have both so obviously enjoyed.

King Gustaf and several members of the Swedish Royal Family were at station when they left, as well as a great crowd.

The Prince of Wales and Prince George were accompanied by the Duke of York and the Duke of Gloucester, who were also on their way home.



# The Woman's Page



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## HOME-MAKING ART FOR WOMEN.

Must Take Their Turn At Wheel.

It is a great pity the art of home-making is not taught in the ordinary girls' school curriculum. Real interest might be lacking until the girl has a home of her own, but the ideas would be imbued early on, and when the occasion arose such knowledge would be forthcoming.

Many girls come out to this country either married or to get married without the slightest idea how to run a home. Many of them are not even interested and rather proud of the fact. "I leave everything to my 'boy' with a sweet smile. That is all right at first, but the bloom is soon rubbed off married life" when a husband comes home to a badly kept, uncomfortable house and finds that his wife cannot make his money go as far as it should.

Very few people have enough money nowadays because the cost of living has increased far above the present earnings of most of us, and we have very hard work to fulfil all our wants and needs. If in addition, money is laid out badly how can there be anything but a constant atmosphere of struggle in the home, constant squabbling and constant disappointment and disillusionment.

It is impossible to be healthy unless one is fed with well-chosen properly cooked food. The inefficient housewife will always have her family ailing, always be having to pay doctors' fees, and the costs of convalescence. Efficiency in life invariably pays hand over fist. The experts of the world are the people who command the biggest pay. Running a home and family is a business and experience is no light taskmaster.

The home is a ship that has to be steered all the time and the wife must take her turn at the wheel. A woman who has no knowledge of how to run her home properly is merely a passenger, she has no sense of responsibility.

Club life in the tropics is an important part of existence, but nowadays with most people living on air chiefly and hot air at that! life might become less difficult and monotonous if women found more amusement at home and made more individual use of their lives.

## TURBANS A RAGE FOR EVENING.

Turbans deserve honourable mention in this resume of millinery news: they are having not only their day but their night. Little wispy affairs that cover barely half the head's surface are going to be the rage for evening. They are made of satin, velvet, crepe and even ermine. They are solid or slashed open so that the hair shows through them. Complementing evening gowns with their jackets and capes, they complete the line of the ensemble and give the required touch of colour.

## WHAT'S YOUR TYPE?

Women with a reputation for dressing well are often those who give far more attention to their type than they do to the fashions of the moment.

Such women are not tied to rules. They wear their hats according to their type, not at the angle indicated by chic milliners.



## MENU SUGGESTIONS FOR TO-MORROW.

TIFFIN.  
Fish Salad  
Grilled Beefsteak  
Celery au jus  
Potato Shavings  
Orange Omelette  
DINNER.  
Consomme (Cold)  
Baked Calf's Heart  
Cauliflower au gratin  
Creamed Potatoes  
Pineapple Jelly

Kidney and liver are two familiar dishes but calf's heart roasted and stuffed, is a most savoury dish when properly cooked. To-day I give an excellent recipe for this little used meat.

Take care that the cook buys calf heart as that of the ox is liable to be tough. The same applies to kidney and liver, that of the ox in China being rather tough and unpalatable.

Grilled kidneys make an excellent breakfast dish and they also lend themselves well to being devilled, that is, split open, spread with mustard and then resealed for grilling. A little curl of bacon on top, or curled, completely round, is the necessary last touch to the kidney, the whole placed on a small square of toast.

## Baked Calf's Heart.

Wash the heart in several waters, leave it in cold water an hour, drain and dry. Fill the interior with veal forcemeat then wrap oiled paper carefully round the heart and bake it for 2 hours. Twenty minutes before serving take the paper away and dredge with flour, finishing minus the paper. Serve with a good brown gravy (made from the sediment in the baking dish), and serve garnished with curls of bacon.

## Celery Au Jus.

Do not break the celery into sticks but cook it in its natural clump attached to the roots, merely trimming away the tops. Boil boiling water over and let stand 7 minutes. Make a brown gravy with 2 tablespoons of flour, 2 of butter, a teaspoon of salt and pepper, adding 2 cups of stock when the flour is browned and blended with the butter. Put the celery in this sauce and cook slowly for 25 minutes. Serve with the gravy poured over. A dash of nutmeg is liked by some people.

## Orange Omelette.

Beat the yolks of 8 eggs and 8 tablespoons of powdered sugar to a cream, add 3 tablespoons of orange juice and some of the grated rind then make the omelette in the usual way in a scrupulously clean pan.

## CANTON DELICACIES ARE FAMOUS.

Some Recipes For Excellent Dishes.

Canton, a city of China noted for its epicurean dishes, puts up many delectable dainties in syrup, besides the ginger we all know in its picturesque gray jar.

Cumquats and Chow Chow are two delightful products that round off dessert to perfection. The former are tiny oranges preserved in a thick sweet syrup, perfumed yet sharp, and not cloying to the taste. Chow Chow is also a thick syrup which combines fancifully cut water melon, rind, carrots, and other vegetables. It is a sweet and bears no relationship to the mustard pickle of that name.

Both these dainties, plus assorted nuts, eke out the all too limited fruit bowl. Serve them in their native pewter—which is highly decorative.

## Tipsey Pudding.

Beat an egg and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  oz. of sugar together until thick and smooth; stir in 2 oz. of flour as lightly as possible. Coat some small individual moulds (or one large one) with butter, powder with sugar and pour in the mixture two-thirds of the way up. Bake in a moderate oven. When cooked baste them with rum (or fruit syrup), sprinkle lightly with desiccated coconut and serve cold.

## Hotchpotch Broth.

Cover 1 lb. neck of mutton cut small with 3 pints of water salted, bring slowly to the boil, skimming well. Simmer for an hour, then add a cut up onion and carrot and a shredded lettuce. Half an hour later add a diced turnip, some green peas and several flowerets of cauliflower; simmer for an hour, add some chopped parsley and season to taste.

## Veal Cutlets.

Cut and trim the cutlets neatly, season with celery salt and pepper, rub each side with a cut lemon, coat with egg and breadcrumbs, fry till a nice golden brown colour (about 8 minutes); serve with a good brown sauce.

## HOW ABOUT COCKTAILS?

Fill shaker two thirds full of cracked ice, two dashes of Grenadine syrup, two dashes pineapple juice, one half wine glass Gordon's Old Tom gin, one half glass of French vermouth, white of an egg, shake well and serve with small piece of pineapple.

## Old Tom Gin Cocktail.

Use mixing glass filled with fine ice, add one dash of Angostura bitters, two dashes of Curacao, one wine glass of Gordon's Old Tom gin, stir well and serve with a piece of twisted lemon peel on top.

## Old Fashioned Cocktail.

Use mixing glass half full of cracked ice, add one lump of sugar, one or two dashes of bitters, one dash of Gordon's orange bitters, one dash of Angostura bitters, lemon peel one piece, one jigger of Canadian Club whisky, add Aquan and stir gently with spoon and serve.

The glass used in serving should be sufficiently large to serve a generous cocktail and not be more than three-quarters full.

All cocktail glasses should be chilled before filling and serving.

(Continued from previous column). kept for omelettes only. When cooked fold over, sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve immediately.

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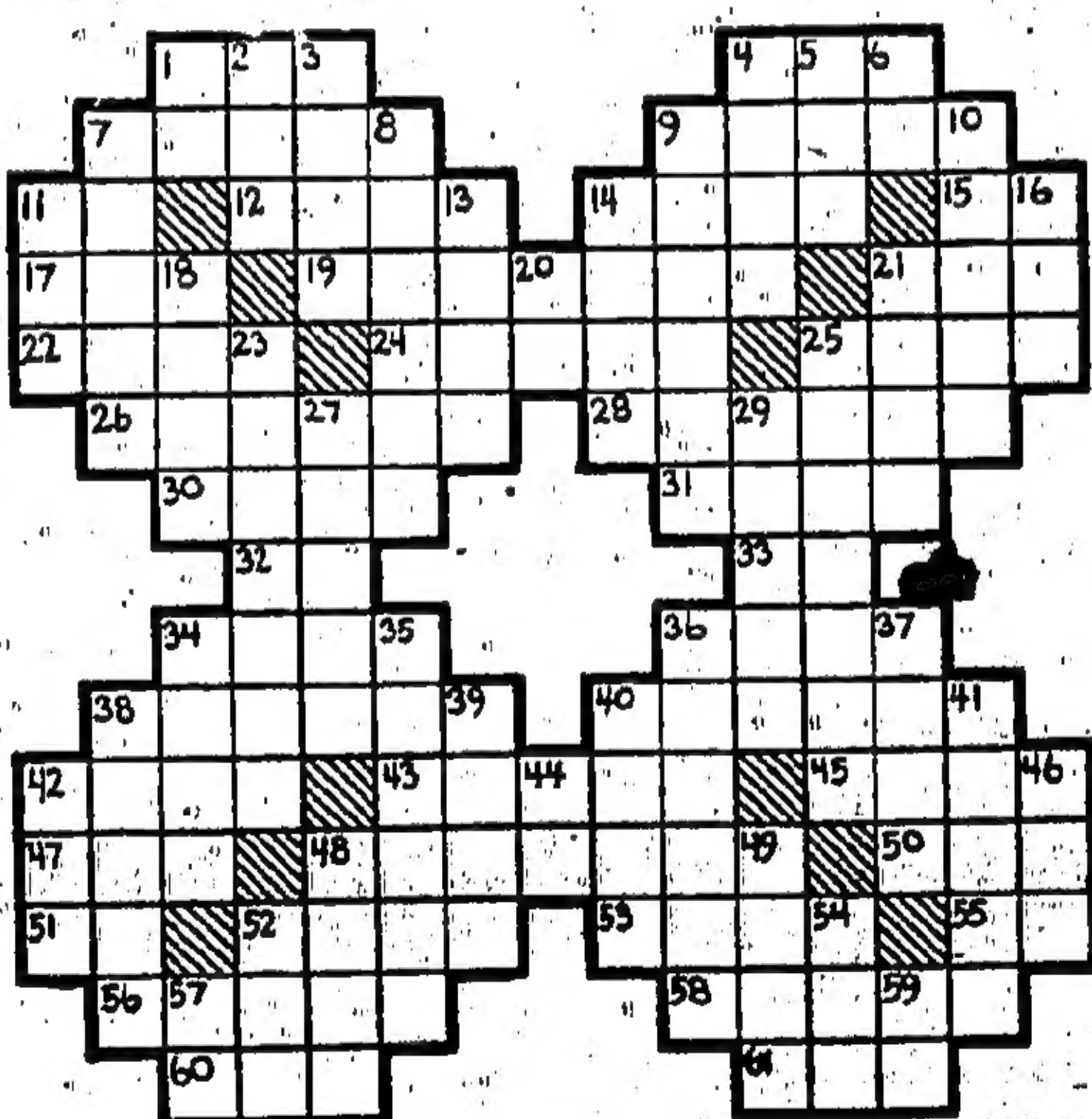
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## DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plots, and altho.)



## HORIZONTAL

- 1-Part of a month
- 4-Bone of the body
- 7-Drugs
- 8-Tardier
- 11-Pronoun
- 12-Consumes
- 14-Tears
- 15-Intro
- 17-Writing fluid
- 18-Holds
- 21-A beverage
- 22-Walk
- 24-Classify
- 25-Aid
- 28-Scatter
- 29-Fur-bearing animal (pl.)
- 30-Blind
- 31-Small stream of water
- 32-Province of Canada (abbr.)
- 33-Goddess of the earth (Gr. Myth.)
- 34-To make a note of
- 35-Moves away (Prov.)
- 36-A native of Brittany
- 38-Scenic beauty
- 40-Art article of food

## HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 45-Wild animal
- 47-Girl's name
- 48-Improves
- 50-Born
- 51-You and I
- 52-Dead of war (Roman)
- 53-Myth.
- 54-Eat
- 55-A degree (abbr.)
- 56-Boxes
- 58-Regulates the food
- 60-Lyric poem
- 61-Prefix, Before

## VERTICAL

- 1-Art
- 2-Imitate
- 3-Period of time
- 4-Knots
- 5-Pronoun
- 6-Exit
- 7-Scare
- 8-Cubic unit of metric measure (pl.)
- 9-Pertaining to a line
- 10-Knots (Colloq.)
- 11-Prof. Wrong
- 12-Child actor
- 14-Enslaves

## VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 16-Lace fabric
- 18-Held
- 20-Indefinite article
- 21-Man's name
- 22-Applied color to
- 23-Assured to be true
- 24-Without proving
- 27-To set again
- 29-An illiberal adherent of a religious creed
- 34-A metal
- 35-Those who move
- 36-Capital of Spain
- 37-Observed
- 38-Hard parts of the body
- 39-Insect eggs
- 40-To cut (Prov. Eng.)
- 41-Wars
- 42-Uncooked
- 44-Near
- 45-Grimace
- 46-Barren
- 48-Glip
- 49-Insects
- 54-Ever (Poet)
- 57-River in Italy
- 58-7-year-old
- 59-Enslaves (abbr.)

Germans Hunting  
English BeautyGood Photograph May Be  
A Shock

## WORTH EXPERIMENTING

(By C. A. LEJEUNE.)

A fortnight ago two Germans walked into the offices of the British Travel Association in London. They were officials of the Doring Filmwerke, of Hanover, and they had come, without any other knowledge of England and the English language than a road-map, to make a film of the British Isles. It was August; the hotels were full, the roads and railways at the height of the summer traffic; half of executive England was away on holiday. But the film had to be made; it would be shown throughout German-speaking Europe, both in the theatres and non-theatrical, and on the liners of the Norddeutscher Lloyd; it might lead to a bigger job next year; and it was up to the British Travel Association to see that it was well done. The railways were asked to co-operate, and a car was provided; hotel accommodation arranged for, and routes investigated; a working film director was sent out with the visitors to see that they got the best possible facilities, and a six weeks' tour of London, the South Coast, the West Country, Norfolk, South Wales, the Lake District, and the Industrial North was finally drawn up.

This outside viewpoint on a country is an extraordinarily valuable one. Quite apart from the question of foreign distribution, there is a great deal to be learnt by putting ourselves into the other fellow's hands. He is apt to see so much that we miss. In nine cases out of ten, he sees clear through to essentials. A film made of England by Germany may not be the England that we know, but it can be another England just as real. A good photograph of oneself is always apt to be a shock.

False Deductions. I spent my own holidays in Germany in the wake of a topical camera-man, and heard all his hosts' perplexities about the commonplace things that he would and the beautiful things that he positively declined to shoot. Since I came back to London I have seen his "rushes," and nearly every time he was dead right. Not quite every time. Shortage of film and shortage of time forced him into occasional false deductions. He was there days when he should have been weeks. He had not time to get into the everyday life of the people. But he was right to shoot the restaurant and not the den; to hurry past the beauty-spot where Goethe meditated and focus on the feet of a bunch of dancers; to represent the Broken not by its stunted trees and its witches and Mr. Harry Price's magic circle, but in the smoke and wheels and bustle of its heroic little train.

Making A Nation. The Germany that I, as a foreigner, know and love has never yet found its way on to the screen. It would be a film of the school-children growing up under the traditions of a thousand-year-old provincial town, and gradually breaking away from them; no longer quite hemmed in by the little streets where the cow-bells jangle of an evening, the nursery gardens with their neat beds of annuals, the kitchen gardens fall of the hot scent of red currants; the tiny children still with their precise greeting, the elder ones a little sheepish as for the sixth time in the day they bow and shake your hand. And it would show the young brown-shirts in the market square selling their papers; the crowded swimming-pool in the afternoons when school is over.

brown youngsters, fit as athletes, swimming, diving, punching the ball, throwing the ring, squatting in the sun and talking world-politics—and slowly growing up to shape the course of the new Germany.

I don't know whether this would make a good film. I only know that it would be an honest picture of a peculiarly interesting phase of contemporary life. This interpretation of the nation to one another is one of the few really serviceable things that the cinema can do. If we are ever to have a united Europe, even in name, something of the kind must be attempted. And every interchange of good technicians, every foreign comment on a national viewpoint, is a definite step towards that end.

COWARD PLAY GETS  
RECEPTION."Words and Music" Is  
Due In London.

Mr. Noel Coward's revue "Words and Music," had a great send-off at the Opera House, Manchester. One feature of the first night was the number of distinguished American theatre people who, on hearing of the occasion, immediately went to Manchester to be there. In the audience were Lord and Lady Charles Cavendish (Miss Adele Astaire), Miss Edna Ferber, the authoress of "Show Boat"; Miss Lynn Fontanne and Mr. Alfred Lunt, the leading players for the Theatre Guild, who so delighted London some years ago in "Caprice."

It is with Miss Fontanne and Mr. Lunt that Mr. Coward will be acting next, as he is due to appear with them in a comedy of his own writing, in New York, after Christmas. This will certainly be one of the chief features of the coming American season.

Meanwhile, Mr. Cochran is thinking out his cast for "A Winter's Tale," due in Manchester at Christmas, and in London shortly thereafter. Mr. Coward will stay on in Manchester, to put in another fortnight's work in perfecting the performance of his revue, although there did not seem on the first night to be much need of tightening up.

One feature of the cast is the number of young players who are already old-stagers, since they have been in the business since childhood, like Mr. Coward himself. Miss Doris Hare, who scored a big success, is one of these. Mr. Romney Brent is an American player who will certainly delight London when "Words and Music" comes to the Adelphi. He has done a number of things on the New York stage, and one of his principal parts was in the part of Young Gobbo, in the "Merchant of Venice." Nobody would suppose that the player of that part could be the hero of the evening, but, according to Mr. Lunt, that was what occurred. A glimpse of Mr. Brent's work will confirm the opinion.

Low-Price  
Theatres

There is no doubt that theatre prices are beginning to come down. Mr. Leon M. Lion showed the way by boldly cutting prices by half for the matinees, and the success of this experiment has evidently persuaded other managers to put a timid foot into the stream.

Mr. Novello, for instance, has decided to reduce the prices of the stalls from 12s. 6d. to 8s. 6d. The Gaiety is only charging 7s. 6d. and 6s. for stalls (there are 500 seats); the dress circle is 5s. and 4s.; the upper circle 3s.; and the gallery 1s. 6d. The Aldwych intends to follow their example.

When "Fifty-fifty" is presented there the prices for the stalls will be 12s. and 10s. 6d. for the dress circle 5s. and 4s.; the upper circle 3s. and 2s. 6d.; and for the gallery 1s. 6d. and 1s.

BRITAIN SEEKING  
LEADERSHIP.Conference Of Artists  
In Practical Trade.

## DESIRE FOR PRE-EMINENCE.

For the first time in history decorators, industrial artists, and designers from all over England, Scotland, and Ireland met in London for a three days' conference to discuss the present state of British industrial design and internal furnishing and decoration. This important conference, organised by the Incorporated Institute of British Decorators, upon the initiative of its president, Mr. Henry G. Dowling, took place at the Painters' Hall, Little Trinity Lane, E.C.4.

During the mornings an interesting series of lectures was given by different authorities on decoration and industrial design; and during the afternoons visits were paid to important works and buildings, such as a visit to the Mansion House, when the party was received by the Lord Mayor and conducted over the building by Mr. Sydney Tatchell, F.R.I.B.A., the architect responsible for the recent renovations. The lectures had the merit of being very short, for four lectures were given on one morning, including one by Mr. C. L. Stocks, on "Practical Steps required to make British Industrial Art Pre-eminent." Mr. Stocks is Assistant Secretary to the Treasury, and was a member of Lord Gorell's Committee upon Art and Industry. The subject of his lecture provided the keynote of this conference, and it is significant that artists and designers are becoming alive to the fact that what we call art and beauty in the things of everyday life are inseparable from economic industrial production; further, that the designing and planning qualities of the artist are essential to economic recovery.

It may seem almost revolutionary to suggest that the artist should have the organising mind; but this precisely is what he has, if he will only use it, for by his gifts of visual intuition he is able to apprehend a residual efficiency or inefficiency in an object. This is given in the watchword of this conference, which is "Art for Industry's Sake," and, following

(Continued at foot of next column).

"DEGRADATION" ON  
LONDON STAGE.Young Producers' Draw  
"Cartel."

The Gate Theatre is getting very solemn. A "cartel" has been formed of "the young producers, who understand the new form which the art-of-the-theatre must take."

"The theatre still remains at the stage of a Royal Academy picture of the last century the period for the deepest artistic degradation in the whole duration of our era. . . . And so on, very gravely, for two pages.

All the same, the Gate is doing "something of value," and may therefore be excused when it imagines it has some connection with Sinai. It is beginning its eighth season with "Hotel Universe," by Philip Barry, and other plays to be produced, are: "London Docks," by William Reupke; "Bifur," by Simon Gantillon; "Mind Products Limited," by Charles Duff; "Peter's Parade," a Christmas Revue; "Pericles, Prince of Tyre"; "I Hate Men," (Isen); "Hinkman (Broken Brown)," by Ernst Toller; "The Birds," by Aristophanes; "Donogoo," by Jules Romains; and "Tsar Lenin," by Francois Forche.

## TOLSTOYAN FIGURE.

Perhaps Hauptmann is best known in England for "The Weavers," which is one of the plays he wrote dealing with the life of the working classes. In Germany his name is generally associated with his play "Before Dawn," which was attacked as violently there as the first Ibsen productions were attacked in England. Hauptmann has now, of course, become a patriarch, and, at the age of sixty-nine (he will be seventy in November), is a fine Tolstoyan figure of a man.

(Continued from previous column), upon the notable recommendations made in the recent Gorell Committee on Art and Industry, it is most opportune. It is only by planning, or, in other words, designing and ordering every department of social life that we can hope to win through to prosperity. And in this the decorations of the home, our furniture, our fabrics, and everything we use, should provide the atmosphere for the alert and ordered mind.

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What is true on the stage, concerns also your home. A room overdone with articles, a wrong piece in a wrong place, may spoil the harmony of an otherwise pleasant home. Of course, experience is needed to point out if something does not harmonise with your home, if a piece is too much or, on the contrary, missing in your room. If you want your home to be pleasing to everybody's eye, it is only advisable to buy in reputable shops, where every exposed piece is tasteful and where the experienced salesman will help you judiciously in your selection.

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Entrée close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 13th October, 1932.

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Acting Secretary.

Hong Kong, 10th October, 1932.

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Important roles are also taken by John Miljan, Dorothy Jordan and Marie Prevost. Highly recommended.

### MAIL REVIEW

"THE RAINBOW TRAIL"—KING'S THEATRE.

Fox's Western production "The Rainbow Trail" the current attraction at the King's Theatre, is a sequel to Zane Grey's thriller "Riders of the Purple Sage." Taking the lead in the latter production, George O'Brien heads the cast of players in "The Rainbow Trail." Scenes of this Fox production were actually taken at the Grand Canyon, and provide wonderful backgrounds. O'Brien's fights against cattle rustlers are continued, coupled with the imprisonment of his girl (Cecilia Parker) in a valley to which access is extremely difficult. How O'Brien outwits the gangster and rescues the girl, forms a dramatic climax to an entertaining production.

The supporting cast includes J. M. Kerrigan, who was seen with O'Brien in "Seas Beneath," Roscoe Ates, the stuttering mirth provoker, and James Kirkwood. Recommended.

### MAIL REVIEW

"LIFE'S COMEDY"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

Episode one of "Life's Comedy" the latest Chinese technicolour picture, produced by the Shanghai Star Company, is now showing at the Central Theatre. Miss Butterfly Wu and Chong Siao Chau are the leading players. There are altogether six episodes to this thrilling film.

## COMPANY MEETINGS

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 6th October to the 19th October, 1932, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. D. THOMSON, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 1st October, 1932.

## GENERAL NOTICES.

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERING & SHIPBUILDERS OF HONG KONG.

A paper entitled "POWER ECONOMY" will be read in the Institution by Mr. Geo. Buchanan (Member) on THURSDAY, October 13, at 8.45 p.m.

Members and their friends are invited to be present.

### MAIL REVIEW

CHINESE ACROBATS.

Brilliant Show at King's Theatre.

The Joy Fun Toy Company appearing on an extended season at the King's Theatre are exceptionally good.

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### MAIL REVIEW

"SINNERS HOLIDAY"—STAR THEATRE.

Grant Withers and Evalyn Knapp have the featured roles in "Sinners Holiday" now showing at the Star Theatre. The story deals with life behind the scenes of a penny amusement park and booze racketeering, and there are at least three romances thrown in for good measure. The film is interesting and worth while seeing.

### MAIL REVIEW

"HEARTBREAK"—ORIENTAL THEATRE.

With the war as its background, "Heartbreak" now showing at the Oriental Theatre, is worth while seeing. Charles Farrell is seen as an airman in the American Embassy, and does a good piece of acting. Madge Evans is the principal player, while Claude King and Hardie Albright are also in the cast.

### MAIL REVIEW

"CAUGHT"—MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Richard Arlen has the leading role in "Caught" the current attraction at the Majestic Theatre. He is seen as the head of a band of soldiers who set out to arrest an outlaw, enacted by Frances Dee. In the supporting cast, Louis Dresser does some excellent work, similar to that she did in "The Goose Game."

### MAIL REVIEW

"AMBASSADOR BILL"—TAIPIING THEATRE.

Will Rogers, the droll comedian who has made thousands laugh, is the leading player in Fox's production "Ambassador Bill" the current attraction at the Tai Ping Theatre, West Point. Rogers, who passed through the Colony in January this year, is excellently cast, and is supported by a large cast of players. A picture packed with laughs!

### OFFICIAL SOURCES.

"PAID TO LOVE"—KING'S THEATRE.

Hong Kong will have an innovation in cinema entertainment next Thursday when the King's Theatre presents the Spanish talking film "Hay que Casar al Principe," under the name of "Paid to Love." A Fox production, made in Hollywood, it presents a great cast of Spanish stars, and although the dialogue is entirely in Spanish, its action is so smooth, that the story can be followed clearly without any difficulty. Translations into English and Chinese of the main points will be made, however.

Perhaps the most enjoyable feature of the film is the glorious tenor of the star, Jose Mojica, who appeared in the English production "One Mad Kiss" and is among the most popular of artists in Spanish talking films.

The girl who plays opposite Mojica is Conchita Montenegro, who has made several talking films in English for Fox. She also sings several songs and is called upon for several dances.

With its delightful music, Mojica's robust voice and Conchita Montenegro's charming, the opera should provide a fascinating diversion.

## RADIO

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report. A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m. (approx.)—Close Down.

5-7 p.m.—Chinese programme.

6-6.30 p.m.—Children's Concert.

7-10.30 p.m.—European programme.

7-9 p.m.—A programme of Victor & H.M.V. records kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

7-7.23 p.m.—Band & Orchestral Music.

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Duchess of Dantzig—Vocal Gems (Caryll).

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Stand Up and Sing—Selection (Ellis).

New Mayfair Orchestra C2119.

The Gelsa—Vocal Gems (Jones).

Light Opera Company C2144.

8 p.m.—(Local Time & Weather Report).

7.50-8.20 p.m.—Variety.

Humorous Song—Our Avenue.

Gracie Fields B2758.

Organ Solo—Love Lies.

Reginald Foort B2775.

Song—Jeunesse.

Walter Glynn (Tenor) B2761.

Humorous Song—Down in de Cane Break.

Frank Crumit B2787.

Song—Under the Moon.

Gracie Fields B2758.

Organ Solo—Just Like Darby and Joan.

Reginald Foort B2775.

Song—I Love the Moon.

Walter Glynn (Tenor) B2761.

Humorous Song—The Song of the Prune.

Frank Crumit B2787.

8.20-8.52 p.m.—Trial by Jury (Gilbert & Sullivan).

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8.52-9 p.m.—Concert Items.

Song—Deep River (arr. La Forge).

France Alda (Soprano) 1268.

Duet for Two Pianos—Valse (From Suite for Two Pianos—Arenskey).

Harold Bauer and Ossip Gabrilowitsch 8162.

Love Went A-Riding (Bridge) Browning Mummery (Tenor) B2756.

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9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by The Melody Team.

9.30-10.30 p.m.—Dance Music kindly supplied by The Brunswick House.

Fox Trot—Till the Shadows Retire.

No One But You M12440.

Rain, Rain, Go Away! Somewhere in the West M12419.

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Waltz—Why Can't This Go On Forever? An Old Fashioned Waltz M12411.

Fox Trot—Hummin' to Myself.

A Great Big Bunch of You M12400.

Rumba—Mama Inez.

Muchacha 6084.

Fox Trot—Down among the Shalting Pajamas.

Poor Butterfly You're the One 6286.

Thing of Me 6342.

Fox Trot—The Clouds Will Soon Roll By.

Three on a March 6342.

I Bring a Love Song.

Waltz—You Will Remember Vienna 4975.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. (approx.)—Close Down.

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#### Germany's Claim.

The claim now officially put forward by Germany for equality of status in armaments is one that challenges the early attention of the British Government. The French Government, which was first approached by Germany (in a manner not altogether fortunate), loyally communicated the Reich's proposals to Great Britain in accordance with the spirit of the Pact of Mutual Confidence, to which most of the European States have adhered since. Lausanne. It is clear that the decision which the British Government is called upon to take is one of quite unusual importance and must have far-reaching consequences. The question with which it now has to deal is not new. It arises in equity from the Treaty of Versailles, and has been implicit in all the discussions on disarmament during the past few years. The case for equality of treatment was repeatedly stated by Count Bernstorff before the Preparatory Disarmament Commission; Dr. Brüning never allowed any doubt to exist in the minds of other countries that his own people would unanimously refuse to accept indefinitely a differentiation which they held to impugn their sovereignty; and at the end of the first stage of the Disarmament Conference Herr Nadohny announced that his Government could not take further part in the Conference without a definite recognition of "the equality of rights between nations." The point was also made by Herr von Papen at Lausanne, and General von Schleicher has driven it home in a series of unequivocal statements. Frankness is not necessarily ill-advised in diplomacy; and the German claim cannot be evaded by arguments that its presentation in diplomatic form at this moment is inconvenient. It is linked with the Disarmament problem, which is in course of treatment at Geneva; and it is now a cardinal point of German policy that further participation in the Geneva discussions is conditional on the precedent and unambiguous acknowledgment of the principle of equal rights—in which attitude the German Government may count upon the wholehearted if unexpressed sympathy of the other States vanquished in the War. At the same time it is wholly intelligible that the German demand should have caused the highest misgivings in France, in Canada, and in other countries whose neighbours of Germany are

themselves that the old spirit of aggressive militarism is really dead there; and the men who are now advancing the claim are the heirs of the former militarist regime and openly express their sympathies with the monarchical system. When military demonstrations are made under the patronage of the Government of the day they can hardly be attributed to mere childish exuberance. Hardly a speech is made by a leader of the Stahlhelm or of their rival chauvinists, the Hitlerites, without a demand for "the total abolition" of the Treaty of Versailles; and there is indeed only too much reason to believe that the military clauses of that Treaty have in fact been evaded in several particulars by successive German Governments. For all these reasons it is not in the least degree surprising that the claim for equality of status in armaments should have aroused profound misgivings among neighbouring countries. That is indeed the only wise conclusion to reach. Public opinion in this country expects that the Government, in spite of its many pre-occupations, will consider the problem as early as possible, and follow a firm line upon the policy which it adopts. Geneva is no doubt the place where the final discussions must be held, and the binding decisions taken; but it is not too early to devise a policy which will meet the demands of Germany in so far as they are found to be legitimate, and at the same time safeguard the principle of limitation. It is not possible in the long run to keep a first-class Power in a second-class position; it cannot be said to be within the range of practical politics that other nations should immediately reduce their armaments to the level of Germany; and it would be unforgivable weakness to accord the right of unlimited rearmament in cases where disarmament has actually been carried out. A middle way must therefore be found. Quotas—not confined to one branch of armaments—can be suggested which will preserve the principle of limitation; and the promise can be given to redouble at Geneva the common effort to reduce in size and in quantity the weapons forbidden to the disarmed countries. The German claim must be met in the spirit, and by the practice, of the Pact of Mutual Confidence; and the claim will of course be taken into consideration on the assumption that German loyalty to the League of Nations and to its principles is not in doubt. One that understands it should be possible to reach a compromise national agreement to some such basis of limitation, and to secure the peace and stability which the world has been seeking for so long.

### INSPECTOR FALLON TO RETIRE.

Veteran Officer Takes  
"Leave" Shortly.

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Detective-Inspector Christopher Patrick Fallon, of the Hong Kong Police Force, who recently was awarded the First Class Police Medal, the second European to gain the distinction in the history of the Force, is proceeding on eight months' leave prior to retirement after 20 years' service.

Inspector Fallon, who has an unblemished record in the Force, was born in March 1888, in the village of Rathdum, Ireland, and at the age of 20 years he joined the Royal Irish Constabulary. After four years there, he enlisted in the Hong Kong Police Force in December 1912. He also saw service during the war.

In March 1919, Inspector Fallon was granted the Fourth Class Police Medal for good work on the staff of the Criminal Investigation Department. He was promoted to Lance Sergeant in the same year and attained the rank of Inspector in March 1928, when he was also commended by H.E. the Governor for work on the C.I.D. staff in Kowloon.

As an instance of his bravery, he arrested a mad man in Yaumatei who had run amok when armed with a razor on December 16, 1926.

In February last, Inspector Fallon was awarded the First Class Police Medal for his excellent record of service in the Criminal Investigation Department and for special services during the anti-Japanese disturbances last year.

He has been instrumental in effecting the arrests of many criminals of a dangerous nature.

#### News In Brief.

The wedding will shortly take place of Mr. Joseph Mark, accountant of the Mercantile Printers' Supply Co., and Miss Betty Kane, 58 Robinson Road, Hong Kong.

On the occasion of the marriage of Miss Lim Kim-luan, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lim Peng-mai, to Mr. Peck Pla-lin, a reception will be held at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Hon Kam-sing was honoured last night at a farewell dinner given by the Central Police Court interpreters and clerks. Mr. Hon retired from active service on the Chinese staff of the Court on October 3 after 35 years of service.

Wong Mun, 27, a married woman of 5, Kai Yee Road, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday suffering from burns on her face, allegedly inflicted by her husband, who, it is alleged, threw some sort of acid over her during a quarrel.

Trouble over family matters is stated to have caused a young Chinese married woman, of 64, Yee Kuk Street, to take an overdose of opium in an attempt to commit suicide. She was removed to the Kowloon Hospital in a serious condition.

At the Rotary Clubiffin held yesterday at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, an interesting talk was given by Mr. H. A. Boyce-Coombe, of London. Mr. Boyce-Coombe, who is a former resident of Java, spoke of that country, dealing with the geographical and climatic conditions, the people, and the colonisation of the island.

The Headquarters Committee of the Girl Guides' Association wish to express their sincere thanks to Mr. H. Green, of the Botanical and Forestry Department, for his valuable help in laying out the ground round the Hut. They are also greatly indebted to Mr. Tang Shiu-kin, who generously provided the refreshments at the opening ceremony on October 7.

### MAN CHAW GIRLS' SCHOOL CELEBRATION

The Man Chaw Girls' School celebrated China's National Day at the King's Theatre yesterday. The celebration, which took the form of a concert, was attended by more than 200 pupils. The programme included musical numbers and plays presented by the pupils, and a dramatic presentation of the Chinese story of the "The Legend of the White Snake" by the pupils of the drama club.

## Japan Girds Loins To Face Crisis Thousands On Verge Of Starvation

PROFITEERS ARE ACTIVE

When the Selyukai suddenly and unexpectedly came into power last December they promptly replaced the gold embargo. As a result those who had been speculating in dollars in anticipation of this re-imposition were said to have netted close on Yen 80,000,000 in profits almost overnight.

As these huge fortunes were, in effect, made at the expense of the country at large, close observers were not slow to predict that when the people came to recognise the truth of this there would very likely be a great outburst of indignation. The prediction proved all too true, and, however innocent Mr. Inouye and Baron Takuma Dan themselves may have been, there is little doubt that their assassinations were mainly due to their being regarded as outstanding representatives of those capitalists who had profited so vastly by gold dollar speculation.

Their assassinations therefore served to confirm predictions made and the prophets of evil proved equally justified in their forecast that the much vaunted Selyukai trade boom, which was expected to follow the re-imposition of the gold embargo, would prove but transitory and fleeting. Far from the country-wide depression being alleviated by the inflationary policy introduced by the Selyukai and extended by the Saito Cabinet that succeeded the Selyukai Ministry in May, conditions have gone from bad to worse, and the Government has been compelled to call another extraordinary session of the Diet. This will convene to vote appropriations immediately for farm relief.

Under-Nourished Children. According to investigations recently conducted by the educational authorities, something like 200,000 children of school age are undernourished on account of the poverty of their parents, and thousands of school teachers have been unpaid, or only paid in part, for months past, as the local treasures are as bare as Mother Hubbard's cupboard.

Thousands of men, women, and children in the country districts are said to be on the verge of starvation, reduced to living on roots and grasses, and the prefectural Governors, at their recent conference in Tokyo with the Premier and other Government heads, vied with one another in presenting harrowing details of the distress in their respective areas. Coming, as these reports did, from local officials who are more inclined to matters, the dismal stories from under-rate than over-rate such informal sources that have been current for some time past appear merely to be confirmed.

The Government is pledged to do its utmost to relieve this country-wide distress and is fully alive to the serious possibilities of what may follow if it fails in its difficult task. On the other hand, it cannot vote funds that it does not possess, and there is a limit to the amount of bonds it can float without seriously impairing national credit. The authorities are therefore faced with a serious dilemma, and a sigh of relief may well go up if the coming Diet session passes off without disturbance.

Government Rice Monopoly. Already there are indications of serious tension ahead. On the one hand the Selyukai, despite its representation in the present national Cabinet, is strongly criticising the Government's proposed measures for relief on the grounds that they are inadequate to cope with the desperate conditions prevailing. This same party is forecasting serious developments and threatening to take steps on its own if the Government refuses to adopt the Selyukai's own more far-reaching recommendations. These include a Government monopoly of rice, state control of fertilisers, the purchase of 20,000,000 lbs. of summer and autumn cocoons, the payment of the salaries of elementary school teachers, and the purchase of 100,000 tons of rice for the relief of the famine-stricken provinces.

While the Selyukai threatens the Government with all kinds of gloomy prognostications on one hand, indications tending to confirm them are seen on the other in the form of a steady growth in the organised movements of farmers in distress, and large groups of petitioners are expected to visit Tokyo from all parts of the country as the opening of the Diet session draws near.

Police Measures. While sympathising with the motives of these movements the Government is fully alive to the danger of their developing in such a way as to jeopardise public peace and order. Adequate police control is therefore regarded as essential and, at the recent conference of prefectural police chiefs serious discussion took place regarding measures to be taken for the control of both Right and Left Wing movements as well as of organised agrarian agitations.

It is in the rural districts that unrest and discontent are most in evidence, and so ugly has the temper of the peasantry become in many districts that the landlords no longer dare to take action against tenant farmers who fail to pay rent. Most of these landlords are themselves men of little wealth even at the best of times and, as they are primarily dependent on the rents of their tenants, they are now as badly hit as are the tenants.

The fact is that the farmer in Japan is made to pay proportionately more than double in national, prefectural, and town or village taxes what the merchant pays, and more than three times as the manufacturer, while the protective tariff of the Government increases the hardships of the agricultural worker and forces the overworked farmer to carry unproductive urban industry on his back. This is nothing new, but the peasants, impatient at the delay in the much needed reforms, have been becoming increasingly radical for some years past and the growing depression is tending to bring matters to a head. There is nothing anti-monarchical in their agitation, in fact no section of the nation is more loyal to the Throne than the nearly 50 per cent of the population represented by the agrarian communities.

### MENACING BLAZE QUENCHED.

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Brigade Effort.

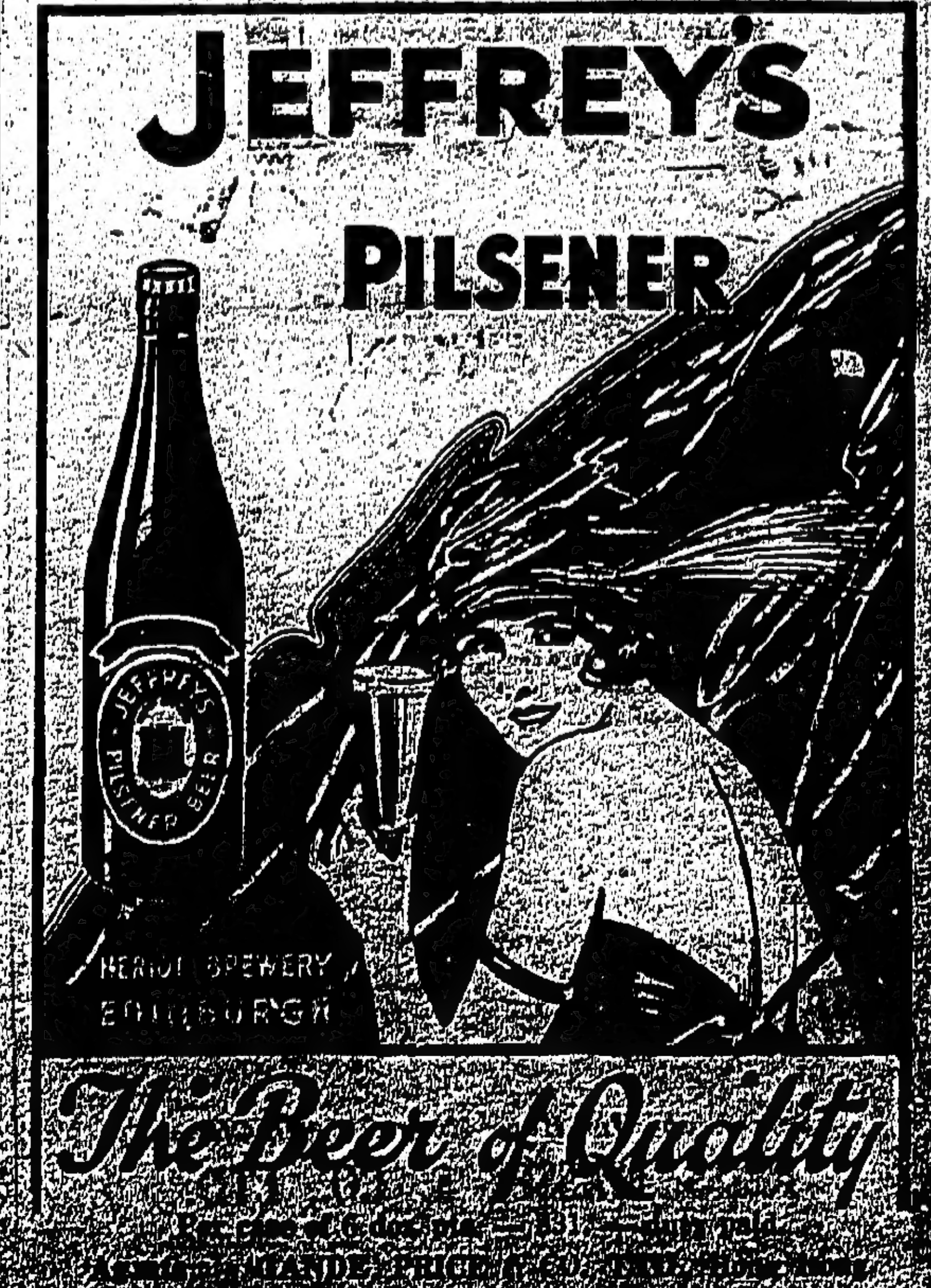
But for the prompt action of the Fire Brigade under the direction of Acting Superintendent J. C. Fitz Henry, a fire which broke out on the ground floor of a four-storey building at No. 22 Jervois Street in the early hours of yesterday morning, would have had more serious results. There was no loss of life.

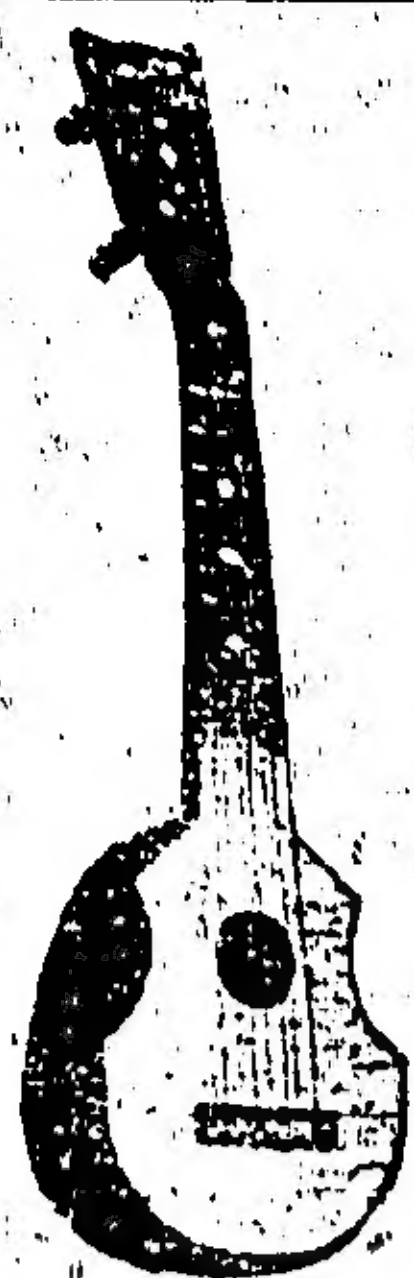
The two shops immediately adjoining No. 22 were also involved, the flames spreading rapidly. Much damage was suffered by the scaffolding and flooring of No. 22, but the danger of the flames spreading to the upper floors was averted. Four appliances were in attendance from the Central Fire Station.

The blaze was extinguished by 4 a.m. The cause of the outbreak is at present unknown.

House No. 20 is occupied by Chan Kwong-Wing, and is insured by the South British Insurance Co., while No. 24 is occupied by Chan Chuen Kee, a dealer in foreign goods, and is also insured. The house in which the fire originated was unoccupied.

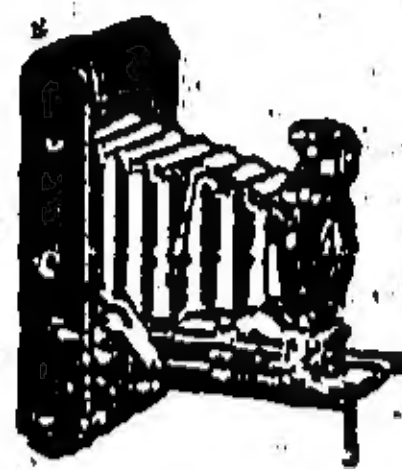
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## WEST INDIANS TO TOUR ENGLAND.

### Taunton Schoolboy May Play For Tourists.

Satisfactory financial arrangements have been made for the West Indian cricket tour in England next year.

At one stage it was thought there might be difficulties in this respect, but Mr. Jos. Scheult, the hon. secretary of the West Indies Board of Control now states that everything points to a most successful tour.

The last team from the West Indies that visited England in 1928, made a deep impression with their courageous, carefree batting.

In West Indian cricket circles the general opinion is that the next team will be even stronger.

It is possible that J. H. Cameron, the Taunton schoolboy, who recently took ten wickets in an innings in the match between the Rest and Lord's schools, will play for the West Indies, where he was born.

## THE CESAREWITCH TO-DAY.

### Aga Khan's Chance With Nitsichin.

### SANDWICH STILL FAVOURITE.

London, To-day.  
Sandwich, with Harry Wragg up, is still the favourite for to-day's Cesarewitch over 2 Miles 2 Furlongs, though Nitsichin, Michael Beary up, is considered a certainty in many quarters. Wragg's mount is being taken and offered at 100-9, while Beary's horse is being offered at 100 to 9 and taken at 100-3. Sigiri, which was to be ridden by Elliott and which was quoted at 33-1, has been withdrawn, and six last minute changes of jockeys have been made.

Fox will ride Roi de Paris instead of Barber.

Weston is on Mandritsara in place of John Doyle.

Barber is riding Prince Oxendon. Evans will be up on Fireway. C. Jelliss will take out Boldero. Jones, the Derby winner, will have Mac's Choice instead of D. Smith.

H. H. the Aga Khan, who provided a first-class racing sensation by providing four of the first five horses in the St. Leger, is again to the forefront of the betting with Nitsichin which Beary, the stable jockey, has selected. Beary, who made a dramatic choice in the St. Leger by selecting Dastur, was beaten by a neck. To-day he can hardly be credited with the same mistake.

The following are to-day's starters:

Sandwich (Harry Wragg)  
Nitsichin (M. Beary)  
Son of Mint (Perryman)  
Pahokee (Lane)  
Sandals (Dines)  
Blue-Vision (Steve Donoghue)  
Bonny Bright Eyes (Nevett)  
West Wicklow (James)  
Roi de Paris (Fox)  
R. B. Bennett (Gordon Richards)  
Mundritsara (Weston)  
Blanderna (Clifford Richards)  
Sandy Lashes (Sirett)  
Prince Oxendon (Barber)  
Gainslaw (Robertson)  
Fireway (Evans)  
Air Pocket (Connorton)  
Tor (Carr)  
Joyous Greeting (Dowdall)  
Saphir (Hunter)  
Popette Two (Alford)  
Chelmarsh (W. Rickaby)  
Boldero (C. Jelliss)  
Manbo (Quick)  
Mac's Choice (Jones)  
Claymore (E. Smith)

—Reuter.

### R.A.S.C. CRICKET SIDE.

The following have been selected to represent the R.A.S.C. in a cricket match against the R.A.O.C. in the Small Units League at Sookunpoo commencing at 2.15 p.m. to-morrow:—W. O. I. Pamplin (A.E.C.) (Captain), Sergt. Tipler (A.E.C.), Cpl. Joyce, Cpl. Barlow, L/Cpl. Orr, L/Cpl. Spain, Pte. Funnell, Dvr. Powell, Dvr. Whitely, Dvr. Gray and Dvr. Buckland.  
Reserve:—Pte. Tull.  
Scorer:—Sergt. Kirk.  
Umpire:—S/Sgt. Randall.

### K.C.C. BOWLS FINAL.

H. M. McTavish, the Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Football Club, won the Lawn Bowls Championship of the Kowloon Cricket Club when he beat A. Hyde Lay, the newly elected Hon. Secretary of the K.C.C., in the Final Round.

## WISHART WIN

### R.A.M.C. Improve But Lose By 3 To Nil.

### RECRCIO SWAMP C.B.A.

In their second match in the Mamak Hockey Tournament, H.M.S. Wishart defeated the R.A.M.C. at Sookunpoo by 3 goals to nil in a first match. The winners' sound defence, in which Fisher was outstanding, was responsible for their victory.

Leading by a goal scored by Bannister in the first half, the Wishart added two more goals in the second half. Bannister and Murrer each claiming one.

The R.A.M.C. fielded a much improved side.

R.A.M.C.:—Davies; Tinnis, Kirkton-Vaugh; Beare, Major Henderson, Willis, Elkin, Newland, Davies, Smith, and Tarney.

Wishart:—North; Muir, Fudge; Moul, Lt. Fisher, Hunt; Adams, Murrer, Comdr. Bannister, Lt. Ellis, and Beets.

### MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

#### Table To Date.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
S. Andrew's	3	3	0	0	17	3	6
Police	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Inconito	2	2	0	0	7	1	4
1st Bty. H.K.S.	2	2	0	0	9	4	4
R. C. Signals	2	2	0	0	14	3	4
Radio	1	1	0	0	8	0	2
University	1	1	0	0	4	1	2
14th R.A.	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
Wishart	2	1	1	0	6	6	2
R.A.S.C.	4	1	3	0	3	10	2
24th R.A.	1	0	1	0	1	7	0
Phoenix	1	0	1	0	1	4	0
Tamar	2	0	2	0	3	9	0
K.F.	2	0	2	0	3	10	0
20th R.A.	1	0	1	0	1	4	0
Parthian	1	0	1	0	1	4	0
R.A.M.C.	2	0	2	0	1	6	0
German Club	2	0	2	0	1	10	0

### MATCH POSTPONED.

The Mamak fixture between the 24th Battery, Royal Artillery, and H.M.S. Veteran, for to-morrow, has been postponed, and the latter would be glad to know whether any club would care to advance their fixture to that date at King's Park, commencing at 4.30 p.m.

Any team willing to accommodate the Veteran's players are asked to telephone the Signal Tower, Naval Yard.

### NORONHA SCORES FOUR FOR RECRCIO.

#### C.B.A. Out-classed.

Fielding a very weak eleven, the C.B.A. met with a heavy defeat yesterday afternoon at King's Park when they lost to the Club de Recrcio by 7 goals to 2 in an uninteresting friendly hockey match. The C.B.A. fielded ten men, only five of whom being first eleven players. The Recrcio had matters much their own way. J. E. Noronha showing great form when in front of goal.

In the first half, the Recrcio gained an early lead through Roza Pereira, Xavier, added two more and Noronha hit the fourth in quick succession. Before the interval, however, L. Phillips decreased the lead with a fine shot from the left.

In the second half, the Recrcio netted goals from short corners. Noronha being responsible for all

## FRANCO-BRITISH RUGBY SPLIT.

### Fixed Formation In The Scrum.

France has asked that the old Rugby relationship with Great Britain shall be re-established this season, but the Rugby Union has responded with an emphatic refusal.

South Africa has severely criticised the international Board's circular regarding specialisation among the forwards. It is believed there that the circular was inspired by the visit of the Springboks to Britain last season.

Bennie Osler, who captained the Springboks on that tour, believes that there is no reason why forwards should not specialise.

"Fixed formations in the scrum have been part and parcel of the game for a decade," he says. "It is strange that the authorities should now consider this phase as responsible for the alleged deterioration. The trouble is that too many of the rules are too literally interpreted."

### SHORTS FOR SPORTS GIRL.

Ever since women started playing games the question of what clothes to wear has caused discussion—almost strife—among the players. Shorts are recognised now for athletics, squash and rowing, but in England they have never caught on for field games. Last season a London hockey team caused quite a flutter by appearing at a match dressed smartly in shorts. This club was not actually affiliated to the All-England Women's Hockey Association, but there is a sequel in the Rules of that Association. Rule 8 now reads: "All players shall wear skirts or tunics." There is no possible way round that, but will the "shorts" cult grow among clubs that are not affiliated?

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three points bringing their total to seven. The C.B.A. then broke through, and E. MacNider registered their second point.

Gonsalves, P. N. da Silva and P. M. da Silva were outstanding for the Recrcio whose forward line combined well. The losers were best served by Tipler, S. MacNider, and Francis.

### H.K.S.R.A. WELL HELD IN THE SECOND HALF.

#### Nur Khan Outstanding.

At King's Park yesterday the H.K.S.R.A. defeated the Y.M.C.A. by three goals to nil in a fast but scrappy encounter.

Nood Mohamed (2) and Nur Khan scored for the Indians in the first half as the result of brilliant understanding in the forward line. Nur Khan, who received extensive try-outs in the recent Trials and who would probably have played on the left wing for the Colony against the Indian Olympic team, was in magnificent form. The Y.M.C.A. ground was not in very good condition, and this coupled by the brilliant stick-work of the Indian forwards undermined the "Y" defence.

Y.M.C.A.—Moss; Tate, Murphy; Bates, McLellan, Smith; Wilson, Burnett, Fowler, Price and Andrews.

## The South American Davis Cup Draw Complete

Paris, Oct. 5.

The draw for the 1933 Davis Cup series in the South American zone was made today by the French Tennis Federation, holder of the coveted trophy. The draw was earlier than for other sections because summer south of the equator commences in December.

Chile is to be pitted against Brazil and Argentina against Peru in the first round. Uruguay will play the winner of the Chile-Brazil matches and the winner of the latter contest will meet either Argentina or Peru in the zone finals.

After receiving the biggest scare in the recent challenge round since French forwards won the Davis cup five years ago, the French Lawn Tennis Federation has decided to open a school to develop future coaches, Borotra and Lacoste.

An announcement that tennis classes will be held next spring for 20 or 25 of the country's most promising young players was made by

Max Decugis, president of the technical committee of the federation.

The course will consist of lessons in tennis strategy, competition with superior players and a routine of physical culture exercises. A tennis film made by William T. Tilden II, the great American player of past years, will be used in the instruction.

As an inducement for promising youngsters to enter, students will receive special consideration in the selections for European tournaments.

Victory of Ellsworth Vines, youthful American champion, over the great Henri Cochet in the Challenge Round this year, is one of the chief factors back of the federation's determination to create a new set of stars.

The two singles victories of Jean Borotra, which combined with Cochet's triumph over Wilmer Allison resulted in keeping the cup for France, cannot be repeated in 1933, tennis followers here are confident.

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## "SOUTH CHINA WILL WIN SENIOR SHIELD WITHOUT CAPTAIN"

### Cricket Notes

By Athole

It was most regrettable from all points of view that Tom Hayward was again attacked by sciatica on Saturday and was thus unable to lead the Club side in their first game of the season. Eric Mitchell, who was originally down to play for the Volunteers, took his place in the Club side. He did not, however, reproduce the form he displayed at the K.C.C. last week when he rattled up 71 in good time, and had to be content with scores of 4 and 1.

THE Club wicket was in very poor condition and A. C. Beck and G. E. R. Divett proved dangerous opponents with their "kicking" deliveries. Beck, though he claimed 10 wickets for 83 runs in the match, did not bowl well on the whole, his sharply rising deliveries frightening more than one batsman out. Divett, however, bowled really well in the second innings without much luck.

H. J. D. Lowe had the misfortune to strain himself while bowling and was only able to bowl one over. He, however, stamped himself as a very promising batsman. To score 32 against Beck and Baker on a poor pitch is not exactly bad going. Alan Reid enjoyed himself with two big hitting innings for 59 and 28 and again showed that he is an indispensable man in the Club side. He is, however, leaving for England shortly.

PROBABLY the best innings recorded over the week-end was that by R. H. Griffiths. In scoring 60 for the Volunteers in the fourth innings he found the rails on eight occasions, hitting freely all round the wicket. His driving was executed with all confidence and he was hitting the ball in the middle of the bat with refreshing regularity. In partnership with L. T. Ride he helped to add 111 runs for the second wicket. Ride, in scoring 47, was fortunate to be dropped twice, but he made several delightful strokes on the leg side which brought him a six and five 4's.

E. R. Duckitt batted splendidly for a patient 43 not out, which included no fewer than eight boundaries. He was never comfortable against the fast bowlers, but he showed amazing determination in the face of tall odds. L. D. Kilbee was another batsman to catch the eye. He has all the makings of a useful No. 6 with a good eye and sufficient patience to get that eye in. In his knock of 35 he scored seven boundaries. A. H. Harbord hit a six and two boundaries in his innings of 27.

F. E. Smith seems to be the bowler the Club has been looking for. Bowling with a high right-hand action he sends down a very fast ball which varies with slow leg-breaks. His command of the leg-break is not perfect as five wickets will denote, but when they are of a good length, they are most difficult to play. They break almost a yard. The ball that beat J. E. Richardson in the first innings was the best of the match, hitting the middle stump high up.

G. S. Dunkley kept wicket brilliantly, the 25 wickets against him in the match being no indication of his display. The bowling was too erratic to do him justice. R. M. Wood stood back to the bowling, unlike Dunkley, and showed comparatively good form for his first appearance behind the stumps. He was especially sound on the leg side.

IT was good to see A. H. Madar, hero of the May Interport, jump into form at Sookunpoo with an undefeated innings of 88. He also bowled 5 overs for only 4 runs. The Army batting was, however, very weak, F. D. Perkins taking 3 for 4, A. R. Minu 3 for 8 and A. Baker 3 for 5.

C. B. R. Sargent showed good form at Pokfulam, where he found the matting wicket to his liking. He claimed 6 for 55 against the University, but was dismissed for 5. Sargent learned his cricket at Wellington College and was later on the staff of the College. He is now Headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School, and should greatly raise the standard of the school's cricket.

THE China Light and Power are again "running" a cricket side this season, but their enthusiasm tends to outpace their prowess. On Saturday they were dismissed for 37. On October 10, the 11-runners were, however, stronger in bowling than batting. A. E. Oliver and C. P. Sargent, usually scoring the bulk of the team's runs, were dismissed for 1 and 0 respectively.



The Y.M.C.A. are concluding the 1932 season with a gala night on Saturday. Above is the junior swimming team, reading from left to right (standing): C. E. Schroeder, F. Webb, H. Brokenshire and G. H. Fowler. (Seated): R. Sutherland, W. F. C. Jenner, E. O. Murphy and E. F. Selk.—(Tanaka.)

## RUGBY SEASON OPENS AT THE VALLEY

### PRACTICE GAME TO-DAY TO SOLVE PROBLEMS

#### DEBUT OF LORRETTO CAPTAIN

(By Scrum Half.)

The Hong Kong Rugby Club are opening their season with a practice game to-day at the Valley. Nearly all the newcomers to the Club will be on view to-day and every one will have a chance of a game, as two new fifteens will be fielded at half time, if necessary.

The latest addition to the Club ranks is J. C. Millar, who captained Lorretto, the finest Rugger school in the British Isles, and who later played for three seasons with the London Scottish. He is a wing forward of exceptional qualities.

Roger Grievie is making a welcome appearance at the Valley this afternoon, though he will not always be available for the Club as the season progresses. Geoffrey Lammert, who was rumoured to be giving up Rugby this season, is not turning out to-day, but he assures me that he has no intention of giving up the game.

In the absence of Geoffrey Moore, R. C. Law and Lammert wing three-quarters are greatly in demand, so much so that L. G. Robertson has had to accept the position for to-day's practice, while J. Ferguson, captain of the Kowloon Club, is making his first appearance in two seasons in Club colours on the other wing. Allera, who might well have played in the February Interport, down at the Valley had he been fit, is one of the opposing wingers, while A. D. Lawson occupies the other position.

W.H.B. Riggs is apparently giving up the full-back position as is S. J. H. Fox, for the former is partnering Allera in the centre and the latter is stand off to A. W. Torrible. In the probable backs A. F. Jenkins and R. H. Griffiths are in the centre and, with the lack of competition in the three-quarter line, should be fairly sure of their places.

Though behind much the weaker pack of forwards, Dr. J. A. R. Selby, the Scottish International and Club captain, and M. W. Turner should prove too fast for Torrible and Fox.

(Continued from previous column.)

IN A. E. Perry the Kowloon Cricket Club have discovered a very useful all-rounder. In his first two innings for the Club he scored 25 and 25, and in a patient batsman who plays a perfectly straight bat in defence and watches the ball very closely. He is very strong on the leg side, and that side of the bat is his forte. He is a very useful all-rounder, and his batting and bowling are both of a high standard.

who are entirely unaccustomed to one another's play.

The "probable" pack was selected before the arrival of Millar, and it may transpire that the newcomer will play in the weaker pack until the selectors can find their feet. Every newcomer appears to be a star wing forward. First came R. O. F. King, who is unable to turn out to-day on account of a bad foot, to be followed shortly by A. P. Hall-Thompson, the All-Japan and Interport forward, and later by J. Daiziel, the amazing dribbler from Edinburgh Institution.

L. H. Bradford, the other newcomer, is in the front row of the scrum, and, from all appearances at practices, the former Banks captain should acquire himself with all credit. Two of the Kowloon forwards will be on view in W. F. Kerr and Dr. J. E. H. Cogan.

G. S. Dunkley is one notable absentee. The former Shanghai forward has decided that he is past his prime and has now turned his attention to cricket, at which he shines as a first-class wicket-keeper. J. P. Whitman is another who will be missed in this first game of a new season.

The following are the teams for the first half: Grievie, Robertson, Jenkins, Griffiths, Ferguson, Turner, Selby, Cogan, Merry, Garrod, Cherrill, Andrew, Cox, Stillard and Millar.

Skinner, Allera, Bizz, Wade, Lawson, Fox, Torrible, Moutrie, Peers, Bradford, Kerr, McElroy, Daiziel, Hall-Thompson and Mc Lellan.

#### MAMMOTH BRIDGE TOURNEY

The British Lawn Tennis Team for South Africa will be represented by the following: A. W. Hayward (captain), A. C. Beck, E. R. Duckitt, C. E. R. Divett, G. S. Dunkley, C. B. R. Sargent, J. P. Whitman, W. F. Kerr, Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, and L. H. Bradford.

### China Mail Sports Diary

#### TO-DAY

HOCKEY—Mamak Shield  
v. Parthian  
Veteran v. 1st H. K. S. R. A.  
(Valley 4.30).  
Friendly v. Jat Regt.

#### THURSDAY

HOCKEY—Mamak Shield  
24th Batty v. Veteran  
(Valley 4.30).  
R.A.S.C. v. 1st H.K.S.R.A.  
(Marina 4.30).  
WATER POLO  
Argylls v. Lincolns  
(Y Bath).

#### FRIDAY

FOOTBALL  
Argylls II v. Lincolns II  
(Chatham Rd).  
HOCKEY  
Club "A" v. Borderers  
ROWING  
Trevelsa Trophy (North Point 4).  
POLO  
Hong Kong v. Shanghai  
(Causeway Bay 3).  
RUGBY  
Kowloon Rugby Club Practice.  
SWIMMING—King's College  
Finals.

### FUKIEN ARE WELL-PLACED

#### 1,500 Metres Final To-night.

Eleven entries were received for the 1,500 Metres swimming event organised by the Chinese Physical Culture Association at the S.C.A.A. Pavilion, North Point, last night. Two heats were swum off and the final will be decided at North Point to-night at 7 p.m. The following were the results:

- 1st Heat  
1—Shek Kam-pui (Fukien).  
2—Kwok Chan-han (S.C.A.A.).  
3—Chan Ki-chung (Canton Police).  
2nd Heat  
1—Chan Fuk-shing (Fukien).  
2—Mak Wai-wong (C. Civil Service).  
3—Tsang Ho-fuk (C.B.C.).

### THE MACAO ST. LEGER

#### Champion Jockey On White Jade Stag.

A classic field, has been entered for the Macao St. Leger, which is to be run on Sunday next. Mr. Leo Frost, the champion jockey will be riding White Jade Stag, winner of the Macao Derby, and will probably be the favourite, although Wild Life ridden by Mr. S. N. Pan will also be well fancied. Deveron, carrying only 150 lbs., bottom weight, is a pony to watch. The entries, together with their probable jockeys and weight, are as follows:

- Ajax—160 pounds (Mr. T. P. K. Kemble).  
Deveron—150 pounds (Mr. G. U. de Boas).  
Flying Tourist—155 pounds (Mr. A. W. de Boas).  
Navy Hall—155 pounds (Mr. F. M. L. Soares).  
Punch—160 pounds (—).  
White Jade Stag—160 pounds (Mr. L. G. Frost).  
Workable Stag—160 pounds (Mr. E. O. Butler).  
Wild Life—160 pounds (Mr. S. N. Pan).

#### BRITISH LAWN TENNIS TEAM FOR SOUTH AFRICA

#### First Party in Party of Six.

The following will represent the British Lawn Tennis Team for South Africa: A. W. Hayward (captain), A. C. Beck, E. R. Duckitt, C. E. R. Divett, G. S. Dunkley, C. B. R. Sargent, J. P. Whitman, W. F. Kerr, Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, and L. H. Bradford.

## LEE WAI-TONG LEAVES SOUTH CHINA

### ACCEPTS BUSINESS OFFER IN JAVA

#### IP PAK-WAH PROBABLE SKIPPER

Lee Wai-tong, probably the finest inside soccer player the Orient has yet produced and the South China captain, has left the Colony for Java, where he will be in business for a period of at least three years. Lee left Hong Kong on Sunday, carrying with him the best wishes of all followers of football.

Interviewed yesterday Mr. Mok Hing, South China's manager, said that Ip Pak-wah, Lee's former partner on the wing, would probably take over the reins of captaincy, though nothing had yet been arranged.

"I am confident that South China will be strong enough to carry off the Senior Shield, the Lai Wah Cup and the 'Sunday Herald' Charity Cup," said Mr. Mok Hing, "but I would not like to be so outspoken as regards the League Championship, where a team must needs complete twenty fixtures."

The famous Chinese club are competing again in the local soccer league after a year's absence and after a strenuous tour of the East Indies, but Mr. Mok Hing is confident in their abilities. "We have had set-backs," he said, "but I feel sure that we shall win the Senior Shield if we don't win the League." We have lost Lee Wai-tong, and Ip Pak-wah will now probably come inside. It is easier to find a moderate left winger than a brilliant inside player.

"Chu Kwok-luen, who is now convalescing in the French Hospital from an attack of typhoid, will not be fit for the season, though he may make a quicker recovery than was at first anticipated. Wong Ki-leung, who sustained a spinal injury during the tour of Java, will also be another notable absentee. He is probably our most versatile player."

In speaking of the junior teams Mr. Mok was not so enthusiastic, saying that several of the better players had been selected for the premier team on two occasions, and were consequently ineligible for the junior sides, and could now only be considered as first team reserves. Mr. Mok thought that the Lincolns would carry all before them in the junior divisions of the League.

"Five years ago South China could field an unbeatable eleven, but if one of that eleven were to be injured the disparity between the reserve player and the injured player was so great that it was the one weak link in an otherwise powerful chain. To-day I am adopting the policy of giving everyone a chance with a view to building up teams of equal strength, if possible."

"We are unfortunate to have four of our best players—Ip Pak-wah, Fung King-cheong, Li Tin-sang and Tam Kong-pak—stationed

### SOUTH CHINA DRAW WITH MACAO CLUB.

#### Weak Team's Week-end Visit.

A South China XI visited Macao over the week-end and drew with the Mello Club, each side scoring twice. To Wai-hung and Lai Sui-wing scored for the local team which included only two senior members in their side.

In the Police Force in Canton, and we are only able to play two of them each week-end, a forward and a back. In Lam Tin-chun, who kept goal for All-Singapore during the 1931 season, we have, however, a good substitute for Wong Ki-leung."

When taxed with A. V. Gosano's statement in the China Mail recently regarding the chances of South China without Lee Wai-tong, Mr. Mok smilingly said, "Yesterday the Chinese Athletic Federation XI, which included nine South China players, four of whom were forwards, defeated a potential inter-club side by 5 goals to 1. That speaks for itself."

### MAURICE TATE FOR AUSTRALIA.

#### On The Way To Join Touring Party.

London To-day. Maurice Tate has fully recovered from his nervous breakdown and has passed the tests of the experts. He is now proceeding to Australia to join the M.C.C. touring party. — Reuter.

## Thirteen-A-Side for Hong Kong Cricket Club Trial

The following have been selected to play in the Hong Kong Cricket Club Trial on the Club's ground at 2 p.m. on Saturday:

- A. W. HAYWARD'S XI  
A. W. Hayward (captain)  
A. C. Beck  
E. R. Duckitt  
C. E. R. Divett  
G. S. Dunkley  
C. B. R. Sargent  
J. P. Whitman  
W. F. Kerr  
Dr. J. E. H. Cogan  
L. H. Bradford

### Hockey Notes

By Centre Half

THE Mamak Hockey Tournament is making steady progress, and to date the Radio Sports Club, who played their first competition game on Monday, have the biggest victory to their credit, having defeated the German Club by 8 goals to nil. It was not surprising to see Gurbachan Singh, their clever centre-forward, garner five of those goals, for he scored a total of 128 for the Radio last year. In A. E. F. Guest, St. Andrew's, G. Singh has a close rival, for Guest has already netted 14 of the 17 goals registered by the Saints in their three matches.

WHILE on the subject of goal scoring, Lt. Whiteway-Wilkinson, who is leading the Signals attack this year, with much success, has found the net on seven occasions out of a total of 14. Last year, he played left wing and it was in that position that he figured in the Champions versus The Rest of the League match played at King's Park in April this year. Another Signals player worth watching is Sgm. Chaffey. His combination with Whiteway-Wilkinson being especially good, Chaffey has scored three goals to date.

LAST week reference was made in these columns to a goal scored by E. C. Fincher, for St. Andrew's Club against the R.A.S.C., the shot striking Buckland's foot and going into the net. The shot, it will be recalled, was taken from outside the 'tee.' A. A. Dand, the Club captain, states that a corner hit should have been given.

SIGNALMAN Williams, who was one of the outstanding forwards for the Signals last season, and who played at right wing for the Army in the Sim Shield series, is doing well at tennis at present, where he is now stationed. Williams, as a cricketer, was prominent in local circles, representing the Army in the Triangular Tournament as a fast bowler and a useful batsman.

THE Club have at last got together a speedy and understanding forward line. The new forwards, who have been moderately good, and sound, though E. J. D. Lowe, the second eleven's mainstay in defence, may secure a place in this season's Sim Shield matches. Lowe is a most steady player and one who is hard to get past. The Club's strongest forward line, J. L. Tetley, W. E. Williams, G. E. R. Divett, C. G. French, and A. T. Lay, needs little or no changing, but with the return of E. Owen Hughes, Tetley will probably be dropped.

HOCKEY at the Club de Recreio has been given an impetus by the return of J. E. Noronha, a former Club first XI and Sim Shield player. Noronha was badly hurt last season, and was forced to give up hockey. His return has considerably strengthened the Recreio ranks, and, thus far, they have done very well. They were successful in their first match, defeating the Y.M.C.A. first eleven by the only goal, scored by Noronha.

THE Mamak Hockey Tournament 1932-33 has been well received, and has passed the tests of the experts. He is now proceeding to Australia to join the M.C.C. touring party. — Reuter.

PHULLA Khan, of the Hong Kong Police team, will be an absentee from hockey this season on account of ill health. He is being transferred to Tel-O. Station in the Territories (about 100 miles from Hong Kong) where he will be in charge of the local hockey team. Khan played consistently throughout the season, and scored one or two goals in the early part of the season. He played in the absence of the late Mr. G. S. Dunkley.

#### KING'S AQUATIC TRIALS

The King's College Aquatic Trials will be held on Saturday, October 15, at the King's College swimming pool. The trials will be open to all members of the College and will include events in swimming, water polo, and rowing.



<b>SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.</b>		
TATSUTA MARU	Wednesday	19th October.
ASAMA MARU	Wednesday	2nd November.
TAIYO MARU	Tuesday	15th November.
<b>SEATTLE &amp; VANCOUVER.</b>		
HIYE MARU (starts from Kobe)	Saturday	29th October.
HEIAN MARU (starts from Kobe)	Saturday	19th November.
<b>LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP &amp; ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo &amp; Suez.</b>		
FUSHIMI MARU	Saturday	15th October.
HAKOYAKI MARU	Saturday	29th October.
TERUKUNI MARU	Friday	11th November.
<b>SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila &amp; Port.</b>		
KAMO MARU	Saturday	29th October.
KITANO MARU	Saturday	26th November.
<b>MANILA.</b>		
TATSUTA MARU	Wednesday	12th October.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
HAOKODATE MARU	Saturday	15th October.
TOKIWA MARU	Saturday	29th October.
<b>SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.</b>		
HEIYO MARU	Tuesday	18th October.
<b>NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.</b>		
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa, Marseilles & Valencia.		
TOYOOKA MARU	Wednesday	16th November.
<b>CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang &amp; Rangoon.</b>		
MORIKA MARU	Saturday	15th October.
CALCUTTA MARU	Saturday	29th October.
MURORAN MARU	Tuesday	8th November.
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BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan Deli and Colombo	Borneo Maru	Wed.	19th Oct.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon	Havana Maru	Thurs.	20th Oct.
JAPAN PORTS	Sumatra Maru	Sun.	23rd Oct.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung	Panama Maru	Wed.	9th Nov.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy (from Oct. 1, noon every Sunday)	Hozan Maru	Sun.	18th Oct.
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	Deli Maru	Thurs.	20th Oct.

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## Arrival Of Ships

<b>Sunday, October 9.</b>	
Changchow, British str., 1,221 tons, Capt. E. Thomas, from Wuhu, Stonecutters.—B. & S.	Tilawa, British str., 6,153 tons, Capt. E. Coleborn, from Kobe, Kowloon Wharf.—M.M. & Co.
<b>Monday, October 10.</b>	
Marion Moller, British str., 2,440 tons, Capt. F. V. Benz, from Canton, Stonecutters.—Dodwell & Co.	Vaco, British str., 5,205 tons, Capt. A. Cook, from Tg. Oeban, Socony Wharf.—Standard Oil & Co.
<b>Tuesday, October 11.</b>	
D'Artagnan, French str., 9,608 tons, Captain Benoit from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—M.M. & Co.	Zuiderkerk, Dutch str., 5,820 tons, Capt. F. Swart, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—J.C.J.L.
<b>Wednesday, October 12.</b>	
Felix Roussel, French str., 9,188 tons, Capt. P. Domestici, from Saigon, Kowloon Wharf.—M.M. & Co.	
Haldis, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. W. J. Freer, from Saigon, buoy No. C1.—We Fat Sing.	
Havdrot, Norwegian str., 718 tons, Capt. Lovik, from Bangkok, buoy No. C2.—K. Larsen & Co.	
Kanchow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. F. H. Graybrook, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.	
Marly, Norwegian str., 657 tons, Capt. Howland, from Saigon, buoy No. B11.—Thorsen & Co.	
New Orleans, American str., 3,858 tons, Capt. P. W. Anderson, from Manila, Socony Wharf.—States S.S. & Co.	
Ouderkerk, Dutch str., 4,911 tons, Captain J. H. Klomp, from Shanghai, buoy No. A7.—J.C.J.L.	
Pong Tong, Chinese str., 1,000 tons, Capt. R. E. Freckleton, from Saigon, buoy No. B18.—Sheung Lee.	
Tango Maru, Japanese str., 4,238 tons, Capt. M. Uchino, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.	

### WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following vessels were in port yesterday:—  
Basin.—Tamar.  
North Wall.—Folkestone and Whitshed.  
East Wall.—Parthian and Moth.  
South Wall.—Kappel, Witch and Wild Swan.  
North Arm.—Caradoc.  
West Wall.—Suffolk and Verity.  
Dock.—Perseus and Olympus.  
No. 6 Buoy.—Devonshire.  
No. 7 Buoy.—Phoenix and Oswald.  
No. 11 Buoy.—Wahart.  
No. 12 Buoy.—Whitehall and Veteran.

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The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Shanghai on October 9 (Sun.) at 8.30 a.m., left at 5 p.m., for Nagasaki where she left yesterday at 5 p.m. She leaves Yokohama for Vancouver on October 15 (Sat.) at 3 p.m.

### CONSIGNEES.

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Hong Kong	Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 28	Oct. 28	Nov. 3	Nov. 3	Nov. 8
Emp. of Japan	Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Nov. 19	Nov. 21	Nov. 21	Nov. 21
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 23	Nov. 25	Dec. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 6
Emp. of Russia	Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 10	Dec. 10	Dec. 19
Emp. of Japan	Dec. 16	Dec. 19	Dec. 21	Dec. 23	Dec. 29	Dec. 29	Jan. 3
Emp. of Asia	Dec. 30	Jan. 2	Jan. 3	Jan. 5	Jan. 7	Jan. 7	Jan. 16

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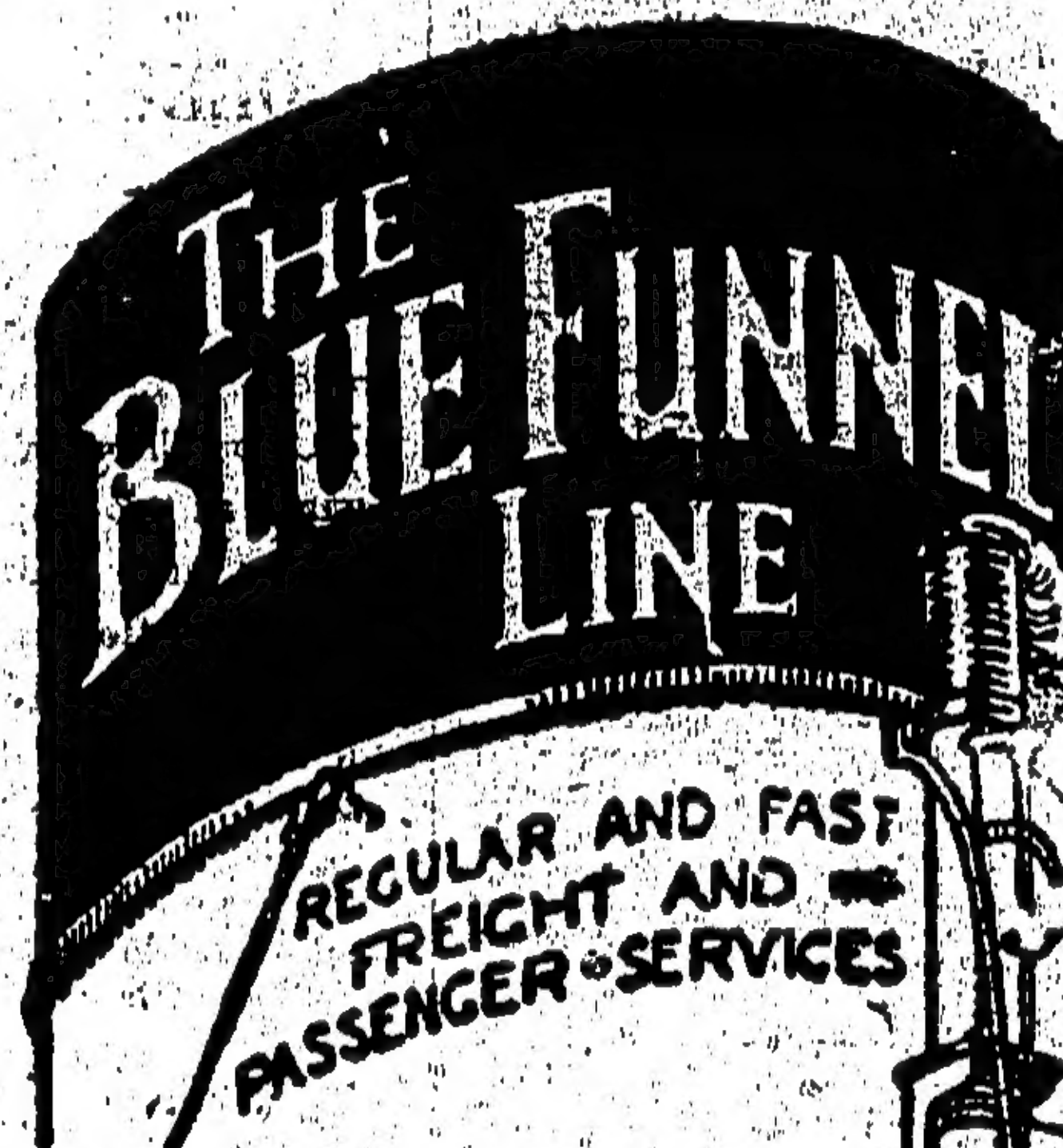
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*BANGALORE	6,500	12th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre & Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CORFU	15,000	19th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
COMORIN	15,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, & Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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SANTHIA	8,000	18th Oct.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
CORFU	15,000	31st Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BHUTAN	6,000	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
COMORIN	15,000	4th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	17,000	18th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*SOUDAN	6,800	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
MALWA	11,000	28th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	2nd Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANCHI	17,000	18th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BUEDWAN	6,500	25th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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October 12 to 18, 1932.

Date	High Water	Low Water
	Standard Ht.	Standard Ht.
	Times	Times
	H. M. F.	H. M. F.
Wed. 12	07 48 6.8	01 25 8.8
Thurs. 13	09 59 6.3	14 10 2.3
Fri. 14	08 35 8.8	02 09 3.2
Sat. 15	21 19 8.7	14 35 2.5
Sun. 16	09 18 6.5	02 49 2.7
Mon. 17	21 38 6.8	14 55 2.7
Tues. 18	09 55 8.2	03 27 2.4
	21 55 7.0	15 18 3.0
	10 35 5.8	04 08 2.2
	22 15 7.2	15 38 3.3
	11 15 5.3	04 45 2.1
	22 30 7.2	15 50 3.5
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	22 48 7.3	16 00 3.8

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Palestine (Beirouth)	1.05
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Italy (Naples)	1.35
France (Marseilles)	1.35
Great Britain and Irish Free State (London)	1.35
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## INWARD MAILS.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12.

Japan ..... Dardanus  
Shanghai and Swatow ..... Suiyang

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14.

Shanghai ..... Chenan  
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only) London, Sept. 15) ..... Hakusan Maru  
Manila ..... Pres. Taft  
Shanghai ..... Somali  
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., (September 24) ..... Emp. of Japan  
Japan and Shanghai ..... Fushimi Maru  
Australia and Manila ..... Changte  
Japan ..... Morioka Maru  
Japan ..... Hakodate Maru

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15.

Tapan ..... Heiyo Maru  
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, Sept. 16) ..... Pres. Folk

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Straits, Egypt and Europe via  
Marseilles ..... Ajax  
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Amoy ..... 2 p.m.  
Samshui and Wuchow ..... 4 p.m.  
Manila ..... 5 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

Straits and Calcutta  
Tilawa ..... Oct. 13, Noon  
Letters ..... 1 p.m.  
Hydrangea ..... 8 p.m.  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14.  
Kanchow ..... 10.30 a.m.  
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ..... Oct. 14, 1 p.m.  
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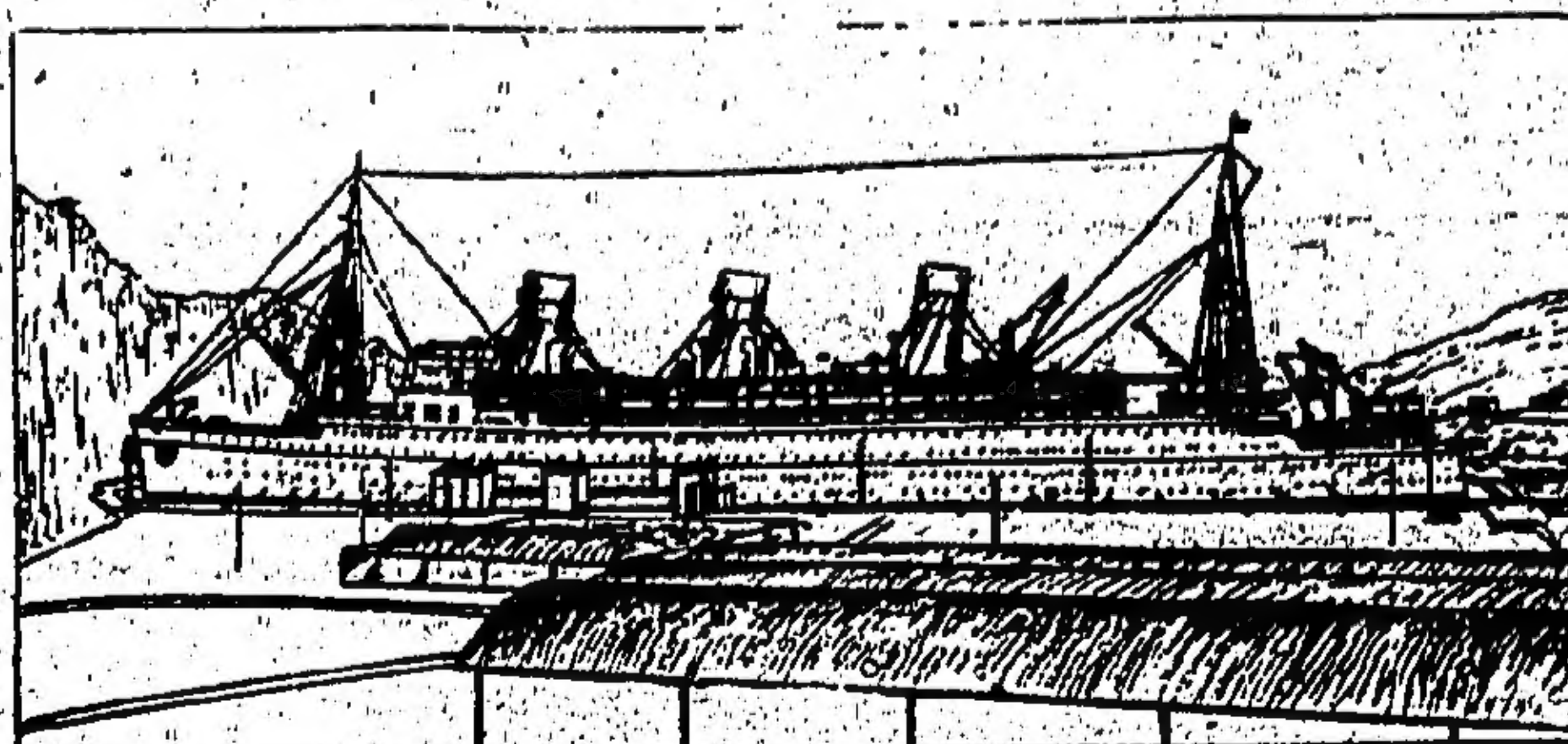
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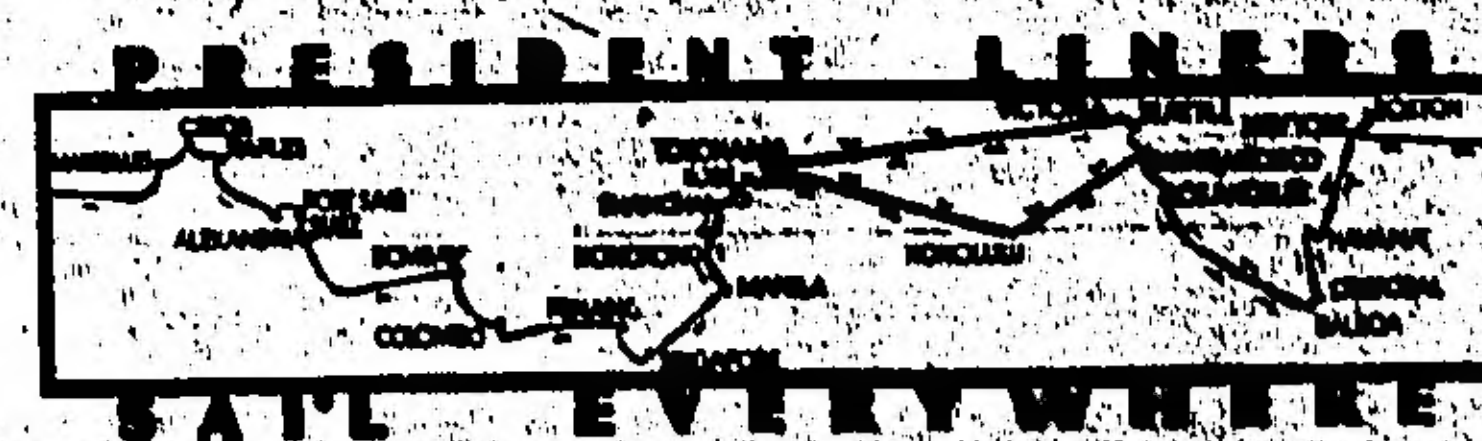
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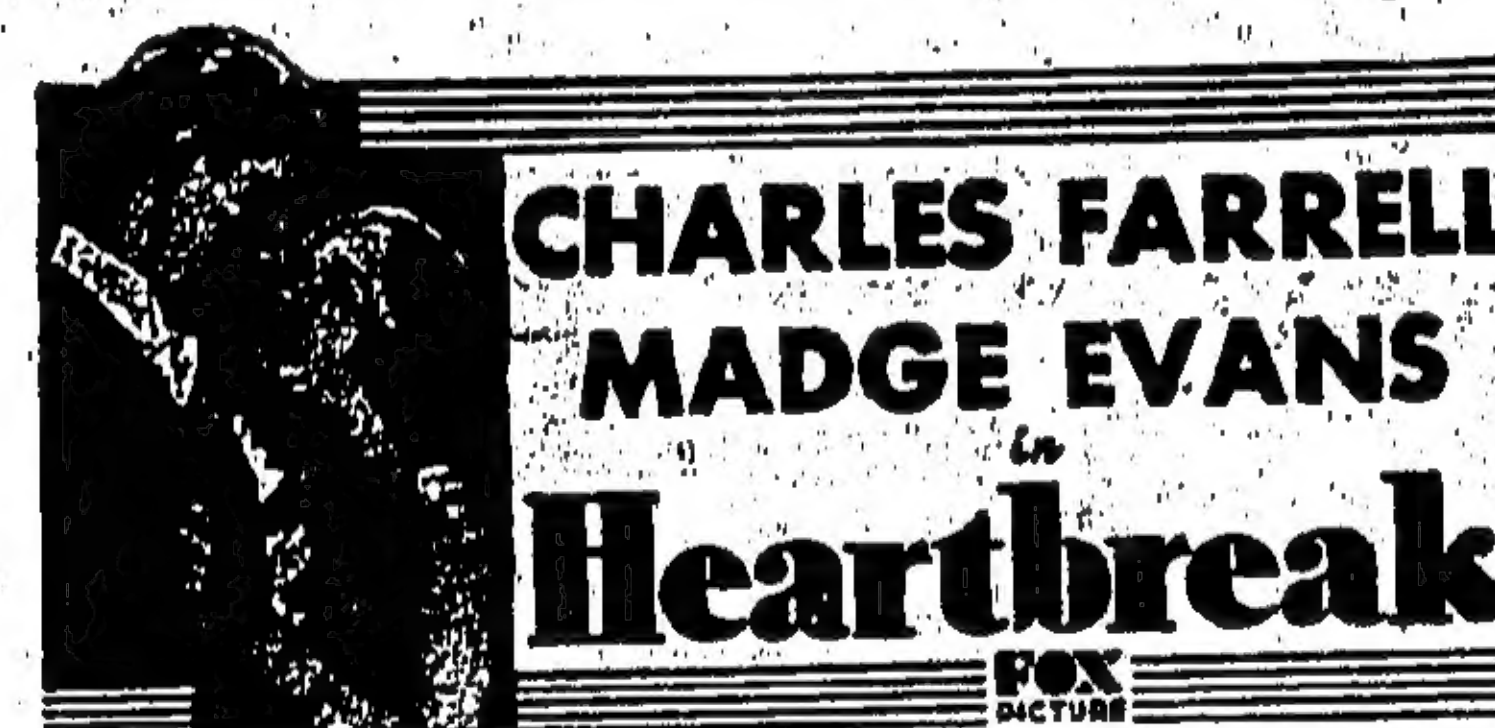
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Young Woman Left  
With Child.

"YOU ARE A COWARD."

Judgment for \$1,000, and costs, in a breach of promise suit, was awarded to-day to Miss Lily Law, alias Lo Yai-king, against Ling Chung-on, a banking clerk of Thos. Cook & Son, and former student of Queen's College, before Mr. Justice Wood in Summary Jurisdiction at the Supreme Court.

It was alleged that the defendant had promised to marry the girl but had put it off from time to time. She gave birth to a child in August last year in the Government Civil Hospital, and defendant paid the expenses. Defendant, who had been previously married, went with Miss Law to the Registrar and gave notice of his impending marriage.

Mr. M. K. Lo, appearing for the plaintiff, said, in his opening, that the marriage was arranged to take place in the Autumn of last year, a month after the birth of the child. The girl was turned out of her home and lived in a cubicle in Yau-mati at the defendant's expense.

The matter was referred to the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, at whose office a settlement of \$2,500 was arranged, to which the defendant agreed. Through the S.C.A. the girl obtained a post as nurse in a local hospital.

Defendant denied the accusations. In reply to the Bench he said he did not promise, but had intended marrying the girl. She had promised to become a non-Christian.

In a letter to the plaintiff, defendant admitted writing that he would die if the girl would not marry him, and expressed his willingness to become a Christian.

Judgment with costs for plaintiff was granted by his Lordship.

His Lordship (to defendant): "I believe the plaintiff's story. I don't believe a word of your story. On the birth of your child, you deserted her. You are a coward and a mean fellow."

### FINANCIER SET FREE BY GREECE.

(Continued from Page 1.)

The list of subscribers includes Mayor Gernak of Chicago, holding \$8100,000 in stock; Owen D. Young, \$8500,000; employees of the Insull Company, Limited, London, \$81,000,000; British Hydro-Electric Securities, \$85,000,000.

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Washington, To-day. The State Department announces that it is renewing its efforts to secure Samuel Insull's return from Greece. — Reuter's American Service.

### NEW CABINET MEETS FOR FIRST TIME.

French Premier In  
London To-day.

London, To-day.

The Cabinet met yesterday for the first time since its reconstruction following the resignation of the Liberal Ministers and the appointment of Sir Godfrey Collins as Secretary for Scotland and Major Walter Elliott as Minister of Agriculture.

A series of meetings is being understood consideration will be held this week, at which it is given to questions relating to disarmament, the Irish situation, and the business before Parliament, which reassembles after the long vacation, next Tuesday. The main political events in London this week will be the French Premier's, M. Herriot's visit to-night, to discuss disarmament problems, and Mr. Eamon De Valera's visit on Friday for the reopening of the Anglo-Irish negotiations.—British Wireless Service.

### HONG KONG DOLLAR UNCHANGED.

Spot Silver Price  
Weakens.

The Hong Kong dollar remained steady this morning at 1/8 1/2.

The spot price of silver weakened 1/16 on yesterday's price, being quoted this morning at 17 11/16, the forward price remaining unchanged at 17 13/16.

The London on New York cross rate, quoted yesterday at \$-G\$3.45 1/2, this morning stands at \$-G\$3.44 1/2, while the New York on London rate is quoted at \$-G\$3.44 1/2 as against \$-G\$3.45 1/2 yesterday.

### GERMAN AVIATORS SAFE IN PORT.

Forced Down Into  
Heavy Seas.

Rangoon, Yesterday.

Capt. Wolfgang von Gronau, round-the-world flier who was forced down in the Indian Ocean yesterday, reached here safely to-day.

The first ship to answer his S.O.S. when a broken waterpump forced him down in heavy seas was the British steamer Karagola, which towed the machine to port. It is expected that the mishap will delay von Gronau continuing his flight for five days.—Reuter.

### FAIR.

To-day's Weather Report from the Royal Observatory states:—

The anti-cyclone appears to be moving eastwards towards South Japan.

Fresh monsoon will continue along the China coast to the South of Foochow, and over the northern China Sea.

Forecast: — N.E. winds, fresh, fair.

### SOLDIER SHOT IN NIGHT RAID ON SMUGGLERS

Battle On Border Of  
"Territory."

During a running fight between Chinese soldiers attached to the Chinese Maritime Customs at Shau Tau Kok, Chinese Territory, and smugglers, a soldier, Tin You, 23, was wounded by the smugglers.

The incident occurred at Lai Fong at about 7 o'clock yesterday evening. A party of Customs men attacked the smugglers, who returned fire. No arrests were made.

Tin You was wounded in the stomach, the bullet passing through the right side of the buttock. He was brought into Kowloon by his comrades and removed to the Kwong Wah Hospital for treatment.

### H.M.S. CARADOC ARRIVES FROM SINGAPORE.

To Leave On Friday  
Carrying Argyll's.

H.M.S. Caradoc, which arrived from Singapore yesterday, will leave in the forenoon on Friday for Shanghai, carrying on board the advance party of the 2nd Battalion of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. The Caradoc will do duty in the Yangtze River.

U.S. River Gunboat Mindanao arrived in port yesterday from the West River.

Other British warships in harbour include the following:—Tamar, Parthian, Moth, Kappel, Witch, Wild Swan, Whitshed, Caradoc, Suffolk, Wren, Verity, Perseus, Olympus, Devonshire, Phoenix, Whitehall, Veteran, Folkestone.

### SELF-DEFENCE ARMY 200,000 STRONG.

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Peiping, October 6.

The ranks of the Self-Defence Army in eastern Liaoning have now reached a total of 200,000. On learning of an impending drive by the Japanese divisions from Korea and the Antung-Mukden Railway, the various Self-Defence units have been assigned duties by General Tang Shu-wu, Commander-in-Chief of the Self-Defence Army and concurrently Acting Chairman of the Liaoning Provincial Government, in defending their respective areas.

The personnel of the Liaoning Provincial Departments has been announced. Messrs. Pei Huan-hsing, Tu Heng-yuan, Kao Hui-min and Su Hsien-yang have been made respectively Provincial Commissioners of Civil Affairs, Education, Industry and Finance. All district magistrates in eastern Liaoning have been appointed and the revenues collected have been remitted to the provisional office of the Provincial Government at Tungshu. — Kuo Min.

The quarantine restrictions imposed against arrivals from Shanghai on account of cholera have been removed, it was announced by the Colonial Secretary's office to-day.

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